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REDS NEAR RETING MONASTERY

Link Up With Tibetan Peoples Troops

KALIMPONG, November 6, (PTI).

ADVANCE units of the Chinese Second Field Army and Tibetan People's troops were today on the outskirts of Reting Monastery, 60 miles north-east of Lhasa, capital of Tibet, writes V. C. Natarajan, P.T.I. Staff Correspondent.

These units, according to a Tibetan trader who has just arrived here from Lhasa, were expected to form a junction "sometime today" with a column of Chinese and Tibetan peoples troops, advancing from Nagchuka towards Reting.

This trader, who has come here to purchase textiles for his business in Lhasa, said the regrouped Chinese and Tibetan Peoples Forces would be able to reach the Tibetan capital "within 72 hours" since the route from Reting to Lhasa was the easiest and quickest.

WEAK RESISTANCE

The trader added he did not anticipate any serious resistance by the Tibetan Government troops guarding the Tibetan capital, because "they will be outnumbered and outmanoeuvred by far superior invasion forces."

Meanwhile, the main spearhead of the invasion forces was maintaining a steady advance, clearing up likely spots of resistance on the route from the fortress of Gyamda Dzong, 150 miles from Lhasa which was captured on November 1.

Advance units of this column were yesterday reported to have branched off at Gyantsadzoong, about 90 miles east of Lhasa and only forty miles northwest of Reting

SEAT OF REGENT

Reting Monastery was the seat of late Regent Reting Rimpoche who died in 1947. Following Regent Reting's death the Reting Monastery revolved against the successor, Regent Takta Rimpoche, but the revolt was put down by Tibetan Government forces with a heavy hand. The monks of Reting who fled to Sikang and Shenghai following the rebellion, infiltrated back to the Monastery during

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MAO'S CALL TO INDIA

'Withdraw Troops From Tibet'

KALIMPONG, November 6, (PTI): The Government of India have been requested to withdraw Indian troops stationed in Gyantse and Yatung on the Indo-Tibetan trade route to Lhasa, according to a Peking Radio broadcast heard here yesterday.

The broadcast said the Chinese Government had expressed the view that it was no longer necessary for Indian troops to remain in Gyantse and Yatung as Tibet had become the "sole concern and responsibility of China."

An Indian Government spokesman here said he had no information on the Chinese request for withdrawal of the troops from the two trade centres where Indian trade agents are posted.

Indian troops are stationed in Gyantse and Yatung under a treaty between Tibet and Britain as the then ruling power in India. This treaty signed in 1906 was reaffirmed in 1910.

Congress Defeat

MUZZAFARPUR, Nov. 6 (PTI): An independent candidate has defeated the Congress candidate in the Muzzafarpur District Board by-election in the Sadar constituency.

The independent candidate, Mr. Jogendra Sharma, polled 5,595 votes while the Congress candidate, Mr. Murlidhar Sharma polled 4,040.

REPORTED DETENTION OF BRITONS IN TIBET

No Protest To Peking

LONDON, Nov. 6, (PTI-Reuter): A British Foreign Office spokesman today denied a report that Britain had protested to the Chinese Communist Government against the detention of two British nationals in Tibet.

The Spokesman had no official confirmation that the Britons identified as Mr. Jeffrey Bull and Mr. Bob Ford, had been captured by Chinese troops in Tibet.

The report that Britain had protested came from Kalimpong. It said the protest had been made by Mr. J. Hutchinson, the British Charge d'Affairs in Peking.

Financial Crisis In Bombay, Says Patil

MIRAJ, Nov. 6 (UPI): Addressing a meeting of the District Rural Development Board in Miraj today, Shri M. P. Patil, Minister for Agriculture, Government of Bombay said that the Government of Bombay was facing the greatest financial crisis, perhaps never before known to history, and hence it had to cut its coat according to the cloth and was forced to stop giving subsidies to different schemes of rural development.

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East Punjab	"	51-8-0
Total	... Rs.	25,11,422-5-11

REPORTED FLIGHT OF DALAI LAMA

More Details

KALIMPONG, Nov. 6 (PTI): New light was thrown here today on the reported "departure" of the Dalai Lama and party from Lhasa.

High Tibetan official sources, who are reliable and fully conversant with the state of affairs in the Tibetan capital, said that the Dalai Lama and the regent never got beyond the boundary of Lhasa district though, according to a wireless report reaching Gangtok on November 1, they left Kotala Palace for some destination, escorted by 50 officers and men.

These sources explained that the Head Lamas of "the three pillars of Lhasa", principal monsteries of Sera, Drebung and Ganden, had warned Tibetan officials, including the regent that hey would not allow anyone, including the Dalai Lama, to leave the Tibetan capital.

IMPROPER

The Head Lamas, were stated to have told he Dalai Lama and the regent, Takta Rimpoche, as well as senior Tibetan officials that it would not be "proper and in the interest of the country and the people" for the spiritual and temporal heads and the regent to leave Tibet at "the time of stress and strain."

These Head Lamas also sent word to the Governor of Gyantse, who is also a monk official, to prevent anyone, including the Dalai Lama, from crossing the borders of Tibet.

SINO-VIET MINH ECONOMIC PACT

Ammunition For Rice

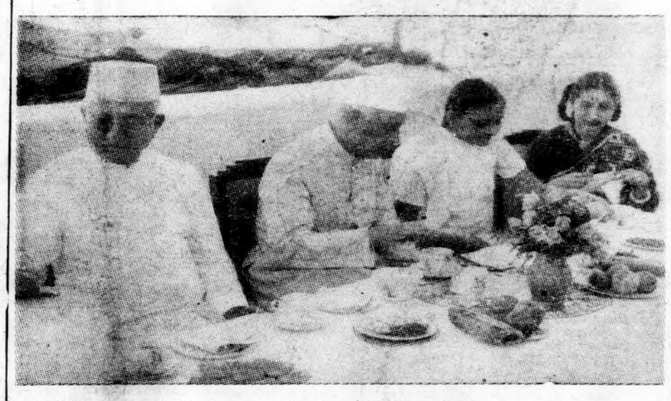
TAIPEH (Formosa), Nov. 6 (PTI-Reuter): The Chinese Nationalist Central News Agency said today Chinese Communists and Indo-Chinese Viet Minh forces had signed an economic pact providing for the barter of Chinese ammunition for Indo-Chinese rice.

The report added that the pact became effective last November and that Chinese Communists had already been obtaining foreign currency through the sale of Indo-Chinese rice in British, Hong Kong and the Portuguese possession of Macao about 50 miles south of Canton.

Mridula Sarabhai At Karachi

KARACHI, Nov. 6, (PTI): Shreemati Mridula Sarabhai arrived here yesterday from Delhi to confer with Pakistan Government on problems relating to recovery of abducted women.

NEHRU AT TEA



Amidst a round of engagements, Nehru takes time off for a brief snack.

NO SPEEDY RESCUE FOR CRASH VICTIMS

Bleak Hope For Survivors, Says Major Flottard

CHAMONIX, SAVOY, Nov. 6, (PTI-Reuter).

MAJOR Pierre Flottard, Commandant of the French Military Alpine School, stated today, it would take at least three days for rescuers to reach the Indian airliner which crashed on the peak of Mont Blanc.

The plane with 40 Indian seamen and a crew of eight crashed on Friday.

Major Flottard said there was no hope of any survivors.

"Even if some had survived the crash, they could not have lived through the intense cold of the night temperature up there. We are not certain yet that we shall be able to bring back any bodies, but we shall do everything we can—if the weather holds.

"The difficulties and dangers of the climb are tremendous. Rescuers will have to face deep snow, dangers of avalanches and extreme cold.

"An easy climb that takes fifteen minutes in summer, will take our most experienced guides two and a half hours now."

PLANE IS VISIBLE

Major Flottard said the plane was clearly visible lying at the foot of the Tournette Rock, 15,177 feet up.

The Constellation, bound for London from Cairo seemed to have caught its right wing on a spur of the 11,781 foot peak, M. Flottard said.

This afternoon, at the top of the funicular at the Slacich Station, a party of seven men—four guides and three soldiers—could be seen struggling across the glacier face on snowshoes towards the Grand Mulet, where they will spend the night. They are the first party of would-be rescuers.

Behind them are about 25 French Alpine troops.

Another party of troops and guides started off this afternoon in the tracks left by the first group.

The entire chamonic corps of guides has been mobilised for the climb.

The advance parties are to be supplied with food tomorrow by parachute.

Wing Commander Sardar Hardit Singh Malik, Indian Ambassador to France, was due in Chamonix today from Nice with Mr. Mathur, Commercial Attache. Mr. Vasant Shide, Indian Consular official, left Paris for Chamonix yesterday.

RESCUE TEAM SETS OUT

Parachutists Ready For Descent

CHAMONIX, Nov. 6, (PTI-Reuter).

RESCUE teams set out at dawn today to climb the icy slopes of Mont Blanc, Europe's highest peak, in their search for the 40 passengers and right crew members of the Air-India International Constellation plane which crashed on Friday.

At the same time French planes were taking off from their base at Aix-en-Provence, Southern France to parachute a first aid git, food clothing and blankets to the site of the wreckage located yesterday.

American parachutists too were ready to jump down if there were any signs of life, according to a broadcast by the American forces network in Germany last night.

The Chief Engineer of the Chamonix-Aigullie du Midi Mont Blanc Overhead Cable Railway said last night the temperature in the vicinity of the wreck was minus twenty to minus twenty-five degrees below zero Centigrade (36 to 45 below freezing point Fahrenheit).

The Indan Ambassador to France, Wing-Commander Sirdar Hardit Singh

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ENQUIRY INTO AIR CRASH

(From Our Correspondent)

NEW DELHI, Nov. 6: As the Air-India International Constellation has crashed in French territory which comes under International Convention, an official enquiry into the plane crash may be shortly instituted by the Government of France. India will be duly represented on the enquiry body.

SPEEDY END FOR MAMDOT LEAGUE

Liaquat's Prediction

KARACHI, Nov. 6 (PTI): The Pakistan Premier, Mr. Liaquat Ali Khan, said today that the recently formed Jinnah Muslim League—which he described as "Mamdot" Muslim League—would not last long and would die a natural death.

The Pakistan Premier, who is also the President of the Pakistan Muslim League, was speaking to pressmen at Mauripur airport on arrival from Quetta after thirteen-day tour of West Punjab, North-Western Frontier Province and Baluchistan.

Mr. Liaquat Ali Khan said that during his 27 years of membership of the Muslim League he had seen many ups and downs in the Muslim League, and the formation of such splinter groups did not worry him at all.

Mr. Liaquat Ali cited the instance of the late Sir Mohammad Shafi who broke away from the Muslim League in 1928 and formed Shafi Muslim League. That League, he said, was no more and he was confident the same would be the fate of the "Mamdot" Muslim League.

U. S. WORRIED OVER KOREA

Call For Security Council Session

LAKE SUCCESS, Nov. 6, (PTI-Reuter).

THE United States Government has called for a special meeting of of the Security Council on Wednesday morning to consider what a spokesman called the "serious situation" created by Chinese intervention in Korea.

KANAS CITY Nov. 6, (PTI-Reuter): President Truman had a long telephone discussion today with Secretary of State, Dean Acheson on the situation in Korea.

The President's associates said Mr. Truman was much concerned over the movement of Chinese Communist troops into North Korea from Manchuria.

Officiall, however, the President maintained silence on this development, as well on General Douglas MacArthur's communique which denounced it as "one of the most offensive acts of lawlessness" in history.

MacARTHUR'S REPORT

LAKE SUCCESS: Earlier today General Douglas MacArthur in a special report to the United Nations announced that his forces in Korea were fighting the Chinese Communist units.

The report stated that the United Nations forces were "presently in hostile contact with the Chinese Communist military units deployed for action against the forces of the United Nations Command."

General MacArthur asked that his report should be brought to the attention of the United Nations. In its introduction the report said "The United Nations forces in Korea are continuing their drive to the North and their efforts to destroy further the effectiveness of the enemy as a fighting force are proving successful.

"However, at present in certain areas of Korea, the United Nations forces are meeting a new foe.

"It is apparent to our fighting forces, and our intelligence agencies have confirmed the fact, that the United Nations are at present in hostile contact with the Chinese Communist military units deployed for action against the forces of the United Command.

The report then summarised intelligence reports which were said to substantiate the fact that "forces other than Korean" were resisting efforts to carry out the United Nations resolutions.

Members of the Security Council are already in possession of General MacArthur's special report accusing Chinese Communist units of being in action against United Nations forces in North Korea.

Leading United States delegates are today and tomorrow having consultations with other members of the Council on the situation.

A United States spokesman did not rule out the possibility that M. Jacob Malik, Soviet representative, might oe asked for his views on what the Council should do.

Talks with the British delegation were being held today, as well as with other leading members of the Council.

A high American spokesman said it would be premature to speculate on what action the United States Government, with others, might propose to the Security Council on Wednesday.

Strange-But True

BOMBAY, Monday.—An incident which occurred at Sundrabai Hall this morning merits being listed under events which are "Strange—but true."

Pandit Nehru who mounted the platform to address the workers of the Balkan-ji-Bari this morning, took objection to the crescent-shaped tin appendage screwed on to the microphone bearing the name of the company.

The Prime Minister felt it "an advertisement and abnoxious" and protested to the organisers.

But just as he rose to speak, the appendage, which probably had been badly affixed, fell off the mike.

"What a pity!" quipped the Prime Minister.

Pandit Nehru again gave expression to his dislike, though not publicly, for "name-plates" being fixed on the mikes, when he visited the "Children's Week" in the evening. He was heard telling Home Minister Morarji Desai: "This thing again! It's clear advertisement and it is bad."

AFGHAN ATTITUDE HOSTILE

Pakistan Premier's Warning

KARACHI, Nov. 6 (PTI).—Mr. Liaquat Ali Khan, Premier of Pakistan said today that he did not see any change in the hostile attitude of Afghanistan towards Pakistan.

Pakistan, he added, was quite capable of dealing with any situation Afghanistan might create.

Mr. Liaquat Ali was talking to pressmen at Mauripur airport on return from Quetta after a thirteen-day tour of West Punjab, North Western Frontier Province and Baluchistan.

Asked for his reaction to the Chinese Invasion of Tibet, the Pakistan Premier said, "Action is so far away that I have nothing to say."

He declined to disclose the nature of the recently reported agreement reached at Peshawar between him and the Burmese Foreign Minister beyond saying: "We discussed matters of common interest and there was general identity of view on all the matters discussed."

Pressed to comment on Pandit Nehru's reported statement that Pakistan had no independent foreign policy, Mr. Liaquat Ali said that Pandit Nehru made so many comments that if he (Liaquat Ali) started answering everyone of them he would have no time for anything else.

Bright Future For Language Journalism

CUTTACK, Nov. 6 (UPI).—The Minister for Information and Broadcasting, Shri R. R. Diwakar, said here today that in the very nature of things language journalism was bound to advance by leaps and bounds. He also stressed the need for production of newsprint in the country for meeting the requirements of newspapers.

Shri Diwakar was replying to an address of welcome presented to him by Shri Radhanath Rath, editor of "Samaj" on behalf of the Press Advisory Committee and the local journalists. The Chief Minister, Shri Nabakrushna Chowdhury, and other Ministers and officials were present at the function.

Greece Asks Britain To Reduce Military Staff

ATHENS, Nov. 6 (PTI-Reuter):—Greece has asked Britain to keep the staffs of her military, naval, air and police missions to a minimum, it was disclosed here today.

But she wants all British missions to remain in the country.

These facts were disclosed in a letter from Prime Minister Sophocles Venizelos to the British Ambassador, Sir Clifford Norton.

FURTHER RETREAT BY FRENCH TROOPS

Viet Minh Massing Near Tonking Capital

SAIGON, Nov. 6, (PTI-Reuter).

FRENCH troops west of the Black River in Indo-China have been withdrawn to a line on the River. The Black River runs roughly in a south-easterly direction from the Chinese border through Tonking.

A French military spokesman announced today that all French army posts west of Black River were evacuated without incident.

Some equipment and material were taken by French troops. The rest was destroyed.

The spokesman said the centre of all posts evacuated, west of Black River, was Hunghoa, four miles north-west of Hanoi.

The French defence line now runs from Vietri on the western front along Black River to the village of Havi, about 12 miles south of the confluence of the Red River.

GOOD RETREAT

The spokesman said the evacuation of Laokay—on the Tonking-Yunan nan border—took place in good conditions despite some rearguard fighting with Viet Minh. He described fighting as "light".

Since the beginning of the French evacuation of Laokay, French Union Forces sustained only five wounded.

French patrols reported two clashes near the western bank of Black River, in the sector of Yenchau, about 30 miles south east of Sonla, which is 80 miles of Laokay.

The spokesman said Viet Minh forces were reported south-west Langson.

The spokesman reported mopping up operations by French Union forces in sector Tienyen, south east of Dinhlap and sector Hienan, south-west of the important port of Haiphong.

REDS MASSING

HANOI: Viet Minh troops are massing nearer than ever before to Hanoi, French-held capital of Tonking in North Indo-China. Unofficial reports said that they were gathering west of the former French outpost of Haobinh, evacuation of which was announced on Sunday.

SURE TO WIN

VOICE OF VIET NAM: La Scandre, a French Legionary taken prisoner by the Viet Nam Peoples' Army during their annihilating attack of French position at Dongkhe on September 18, making a statement to the Voice of the Viet Nam special correspondent said that the Viet Minh were fighting for a cause and that the morale of their army was very high. "You are sure to win", he said.

P.M. Keeps Out Of Cold War

BOMBAY, Monday.

India's Prime Minister was this evening, "saved" from being associated with a diplomatic cold war by the well-meaning President of the All-India Women's Conference, Mrs. Urmila Mehta.

And with a good reason.

At the request of the Conference, and Ambassador Sardar K. M. Pannikar, the Chinese Consulate furnished a large number of exhibits, to be kept on view in the 'China Room' of the Children's Week Exhibition, in which over 20 countries are participating.

Of these, two posters were found repugnant for the occasion both by the organisers and the American Consulate. One of these posters showed a Chinese child being hit by an American shell, while the other portrayed a savage attack on a Chinese boy by a Jap soldier.

Both the American Consulate and the A.I.W.C. had requested the Chinese Consulate to remove these posters, but, however, they were still on view when Pandit Nehru arrived to open the exhibition.

While taking Pandit Nehru around, Mrs. Mehta decided to skip the 'China Room' and informed the Prime Minister the reason behind the move. Pandit Nehru appreciated Mrs. Mehta's judgment.

On the corridors of the Elphinstone School there was an ominous calm and the existence of strained feelings between Chinese and American officials was quite evident.

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PUBLIC NOTICES

POLICE NOTICE

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(Section 23(1) of Act IV of 1902).

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Vehicles will not be allowed to turn round or reverse on any of the roads mentioned above.

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M. M. CHUDASAMA.
Commissioner of Police.

Head Police Office:
Bombay, 6th Novr. 1950.

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No. 18151/151/Impt.—The following draft of a Notification which it is proposed to issue under clause (c) of sub-section (1) of section 22 of the City of Bombay Police Act, 1902 (Bom. IV of 1902), is published as required by sub-section (2) of the said section for information of persons likely to be affected thereby and notice is hereby given that any objections or suggestions which may be received in writing by the Commissioner of Police Bombay, from any person or persons with regard to the said draft on or before the 15th November 1950, will be duly considered.

DRAFT NOTIFICATION.

In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (c) of sub-section (1) of section 22 of the City of Bombay Police Act, 1902, the Commissioner of Police, Bombay, makes the following new Rule:—

No person shall allow any vehicle of which he is in charge to stand or halt, except for the immediate purpose of picking up or setting down passengers, between 9 a.m. and 12 noon on the West side and between 5 p.m. and 8 p.m. on the East side of Cowasji Patel Tank Road from its junction with Vithalbhai Patel Road and Falkland Road.

M. M. CHUDASAMA.
Commissioner of Police,
Greater Bombay.

Head Police Office,
Bombay, 27th September, 1950.

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DECLARE ALL-OUT WAR ON LOCUSTS

Munshi's Call At Delhi Conference

NEW DELHI, Nov. 6 (PTI).

MR. K. M. MUNSHI, Food and Agriculture Minister, Government of India, inaugurating a Conference of International Experts on Locust Control here today, urged the need for organising co-ordinated plans of control against all serious crop pests, especially the locust.

The only effective way of combating and controlling this international pest, he said, was by pooling the technical knowledge and experience of all the nations interested in its extermination.

Mr. E. S. Krishnamoorthy, leader of the Indian delegation, was elected Chairman of the Conference, the Conference is being attended by delegates from Afghanistan, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Egypt, India, Iran, Iraq, Pakistan, Saudi-Arabia and the United Kingdom besides an observer sent by the Food and Agricultural Organisation of the United Nations.

Mr. Munshi added that the recommendations of the last Conference held at Karachi in October 1949 were carefully examined by a committee of locust experts appointed by the Government of India in January last. An adequate plan of action was drawn up to meet the threatened invasion of India during the new locust cycle, which had already started, in close co-operation with the State Governments concerned. The entire machinery of Government was geared to an all-out war emergency effort for which the Government of India had to make an important departure from their previous policy, by assuming full financial and supervisory responsibilities for the entire locust control work in the desert breeding areas.

WAR ON LOCUSTS

Mr. Munshi said: "The locust situation throughout Indian Union is under complete control. We have succeeded not only in saving the Indian crops but have also minimised as far as practicable the chances of invasion of our western neighbours by Indian swarms during the next winter season. It is my earnest hope that during the coming winter and spring every country in which the locust may breed or rest in transit, most of which are fully represented in this conference, would endeavour to annihilate the swarms by mobilising on a war emergency basis all possible resources at their command. This would only be possible if all the countries concerned agreed to put into effect a co-ordinated and agreed plan of action and succeed in setting up adequate field organisations both or intelligence and control work within their respective territories."

Mr. Munshi assured the Conference that the Government of India would give their 'most anxious and willing considerations" to the recommendations, emerging from the Conference. These recommendations, he said, would go a long way in solving more effectively the locust problem.

The delegates of the Conference will leave Delhi on November 8 to visit the affected areas in India and reassemble on November 11. The Conference is expected to conclude by the evening of November 11.

Case Bearing On EPT Act Decided

BOMBAY, Monday.

An important question in relation to the Excess Profits Tax Act was decided by the Chief Justice and Mr. Justice Tendolkar at the Bombay High Court.

The facts of the case in brief were that one R. K. Patel carried on business under the name and style of Ashok Brothers. On November 1, 1943, the business was announced to have been taken over by Ashok Brothers Ltd. Mr. Patel, however, formed another partnership consisting of his son, a college student, and himself and also admitted his minor son to the benefit thereof. The partnership was constituted the secretaries and managing agents of the Ashok Brothers Ltd. and all shares of the Company were allotted to Mr. Patel, his wife and children only.

The Excise Profits Tax Officer who came to know about it was of the opinion that the purpose in main for effecting this transaction was the avoidance or reduction of liability to excess profits tax.

The question therefore was referred to Their Lordships.

UNNECESSARY

The Assessees contended that the appointment of the new partnership as secretaries and managing agents of the Ashok Brothers Ltd., was necessary for carrying on the business of the Company and that it was incidental to the functioning thereof.

Their Lordships negatived this contention and observed that it was difficult to understand why this appointment of the partnership as managing agents of the Company could not be regarded as a transaction to avoid or reduce the liability to pay excess profits tax. A limited company, in Their Lordships' opinion, could function without managing agents. From the nature of the agency in question, Their Lordships remarked, it appeared that the object of the appointment was not to assist the Company but, to help Mr. Patel to achieve his object of avoiding tax on excess profits. That the managing agents in this case included a college boy and a minor son brings to light the real object of such an appointment.

Sir J. B. Kanga instructed by Messrs. Kanga & Co. appeared for the assessees. Mr. A. G. Joshi with Mr. N. K. Petigara appeared for the Commissioner.

Quadruplets were born yesterday to the wife of Philip Sultan, a labourer of the village of Pleasance on the East Coast of the Demarara River. The couple already have nine children. It is the first birth of quadruplets in

STATE TO OPEN MORE MODEL SCHOOLS

BOMBAY, Monday.

In order to provide necessary facilities for the expansion of upper primary education (standards V to VII), the Government of Bombay proposes to open a number of Central Schools at suitable places throughout the State. This decision is taken by the Government on the recommendations of the ad hoc Committee (Bhise Committee) on Upper Primary Education, which submitted its report some time back. Such Central Schools will act as model for other schools and they will be located at most convenient places and run in ideal conditions.

The Bhise Committee examined the various educational, administrative and financial problems pertaining to the middle stage school education arising out of the abolition of the teaching of English in Standards V to VII.

The Government of India is proposing to appoint a Committee to examine the whole question of secondary education and the Government of Bombay has requested the Union Government to refer to that Committee such of those problems as have an all-India bearing, for example, the question regarding the national language and the medium of instruction at the university stage, a planned programme of reducing the importance of English in public life by substituting the national language and regional language in its place, etc.

Rt. Rev. Vivian A. Dyer Honoured

BOMBAY, Monday.

A cable received from H.s Lordship Bishop Gracias from the Vatican City announces that the Rt. Rev. Mgr. Vivian A. Dyer, Vicar General of the Archdiocese of Bombay, has been appointed Domstic Prelate to His Holiness the Pope. This is a special dignity which the Pope confers on ecclesiastics for meritorious work. Mgr. Dyer has been Vicar General of the Archdiocese of Bombay since April 1948; prior to that he was Rector of St. Andrew's Church, Bandra. Among other offices, he also held the post of Private Secretary to His Grace Archbishop Roberts, S.J. from 1939 to 1943.

Pandharpur Pilgrims To Note

BOMBAY, Monday.

Intending pilgrims to the coming Kartiki fair at Pandharpur, which falls on November 20, are advised to start their journey well in advance rather than wait till the concluding stage of the fair, in order to avoid inconvenience to themselves due to limited railway facilities. They should nofmally start moving into Pandharpur about November 13. This will ensure maxim clearance without any inconvenience to pilgrims and also avoid unnecessary detention at Kurduwadi and other starting points like Latur, Mirajj, etc.

Ban On Processions Removed

BOMBAY, Monday.

The Commissioner of Police, Greater Bombay has cancelled his order prohibiting meetings and processions in the Fort area. Simultaneously, he has issued a fresh order banning only processions in that area for seven days from November 7

Steel For Agriculturists

BOMBAY, Monday.

During the month of October last, 2,036 tons of steel (including 2,793 bundles of barbed wire), 3,720 powrahs, 1,242 picaxes 1,776 crow bars and 62,420 feet of piping, valued nearly at Rs. 12,23,600/- were despatched to various distributing agencies by the Agricultural Iron and Steel Supply Officer, Bombay, for distribution to the agriculturists of the Bombay State through the District Rural Development Boards.

Rent To Landowners In Gujerat Fixed

AHMEDABAD, Nov. 6. (PTI): The Government of Bombay has fixed one fifth of the total crop of irrigated lands and one fourth of other lands as the maximum rent to be paid to landowners in cash or kind in the merged states of Gujarat.

Socialist Assurance

SECUNDERABAD, Nov. 6 (UPI):— The Socialist Party of Hyderabad has assured co-operation to the Government on the "food front", it was learned in Secunderabad. This was conveyed to Mr. M. K. Vellodi, Chief Minister, by Mr. B. S. Mahadev Singh, Chief of the Party, at a meeting on Sunday. Consequently the Socialist Party members will serve on Food Committees, etc., to be set up by the Government.

No Jail-Going Concessions

BANARAS, Nov. 5 (UPI): The Transport Department of the Uttar Pradesh government has decided to abolish classification of permits for public carriers on the basis of "jail-going" and similar qualifications.

A government spokesman told UPI that the basis of granting such permits in future would no longer be political. It would be determined according to law and no decision would be prejudicial in any manner either in favour or against an applicant on the ground of political suffering.

B. O. A. C. Introduces Delhi-Rangoon Service

For the first time in the history of civial aviation a direct air link between the Capitals of India and Burma was forged today (November 6) when a forty seater luxury airliner took off from Delhi Airport for a non-stop flight to Rangoon. This direct flight is a part of an express air service which BOAC are introducing through the capital cities of ten different countries on the 10,000 mile route between London and Tokyo.

The intermediate stops on this new service will be Rome, Cairo, Bahrein, Karachi, Delhi, Rangoon, Bangkok and Hong Kong. The Government of India has granted commercial rights for all points except Rangoon and Bangkok.

With the introduction of this additional service BOAC airliners will leave Delhi for London on Fridays and Sundays and for Tokyo on Mondays and Saturdays.

New Bandage For The Battlefield

A new first-aid bandage has been developed by the United States Army Medical Service for the United Nations forces fighting the Communist aggressors in Korea. Simple to apply, it is used on the battlefield to give casualties a better chance of reaching a hospital for complete medical care.

The bandage is made in two layers. The inside, or wound layer, is a highly absorbent fine mesh gauze, which may be treated to reduce irritation to wounds and burns. A non-absorbent outer layer prevents the entrance of bacteria. The dressings may be worn up to 14 days. Ordinary dressings must be changed about once a day.

The new bandage comes in two sizes. The smaller, 19 by 34 inches, is about five times larger than the largest dressing now in use. The larger is 34 by 45 inches.

The bandages are packed in plastic bags that resist moisture and heat.—USIS.

Locals Clash: 6 Hurt

CALCUTTA, Nov. 6 (PTI): Six persons were injured when a local train ran into the rear of another such train waiting for clearance near Narkeldanga, about a mile and a half from Sealdah this morning.

There was some dislocation of traffic for several hours. The cause of the accident is under investigation.

M. P. Delimitation Body Meets

NEW DELHI, Nov. 6 (PTI): The Madhya Pradesh Delimitation Committee meeting here last week-end decided that two parliamentary constituencies in the House of Peoples, one of which was a reserved seat, should be made into one.

The Committee, which met under the chairmanship of Dr. Punjabrao Desmukh, M.P., viewed that "substantial population of scheduled castes in any district should not be denied representation simply because there was a slightly greater concentration in some other area in some other district."

The Committee was unable to finalise the report as some of the constituencies and their details are yet to be worked out.

The Committee will meet here again this month during the parliament session.

CONGRESS PASSING THROUGH A CRISIS

Mahatab Deplores Group Formations Within

NEW DELHI, Nov. 6 (UPI).

MR. HARE KRISHNA MAHATAB, Industry and Supply Minister, today deprecated the formation of groups inside the Congress which had "no meaning theoretically and practically."

"Today, the Congress is passing through a very difficult period. Personal ambitions and interests are threatening its very existence. This is not the time for further weakening it by creating imaginary divisions. This is the time to submit or retire and form another party," he said.

Mr. Mahatab was commenting on a report published in some papers that he did not attend the meeting of the Congress Working Committee on the 4th and the 5th on account of his sympathy, either active or passive, with the policy and programme of the group which was being or had been organised by Mr. Kripalani. "The report", he emphasised, "is absolutely baseless, inasmuch as I do not know anything about Mr. Kripalani's group uptil now. He has told me nothing nor have I made any enquiry about it."

BOMBAY PETITION REJECTED

Supreme Court Order

NEW DELHI, Nov. 6 (PTI): The Supreme Court today rejected a petition of the State of Bombay to stay the operation of the Bombay High Court's order which invalidated the notification creating the Bombay State Transport Corporation as void and contrary to law.

The court, however, directed that the hearing of the State's appeal against the High Court's decision was to be expedited.

The decision of Bombay High Court was in favour of two bus owners who petitioned challenging the creation of the Bombay State Transport Corporation under the Central State Transport Act vesting in it the control of the State's public transport.

The bus owners had questioned the legality of nationalizing the transport on the ground that the Central Act had delegated its legislative powers to the Provincial Government who by a notification had brought into being the transport corporation.

Migration News

CALCUTTA, Nov. 6 (PTI): During the past twenty-four hours, 4,541 Hindus and 3,094 Muslims arrived in West Bengal from Eastern Pakistan by rail and 8,229 Hindus and 2,494 Muslims left, states a West Bengal Government press note.

25 Thousand Bengal Muslim Cultivators Return

CALCUTTA, Nov. 6 (PTI): About 25,000 Muslim cultivators, who had abandoned their lands in the border districts of West Bengal during the disturbances in the early part of this year, have so far returned and have got back their lands and houses, it is learnt.

Of these, more than 20,000 returned to Nadia district alone and have been resettled on their own lands.

About 500 houses occupied by Hindu displaced persons in the district had to be vacated for the purpose.

REPEALED: The Government of Hyderabad have repealed the Paper Control orders which were in force. In all eight orders, namely the News Print Control Order, the Paper Control (Distribution) Order, the Paper Export Control Order, the Paper Production Control Order, the Paper Price (Imported Paper) Control Order, the Paper Control (Price of Board) Order and the Paper Control (Economy) Order, were repealed.

U.S.-BACKED BANDITRY IN NEW CHINA

LONDON, Nov. 6 (PTI-Reuter): The New China News Agency that night charged General MacArthur with organising a "third force" to carry out "bandit activites", espionage and currency forgery in Communist China.

In a despatch received in London, the agency said that the United Nations Commander in Korea had personally directed these "subversive activities" in co-ordintion with "American aggression in the Far East".

The "third force" consisted of Chinese traitors and Kuomintang secret agents, it added.

The agency said General MacArthur had appointed Chang Fa-kuei "South China Commander-in-Chief", and Young Chung-hua" East China Commander-in-Chief" ordering them to direct a handful of bandits operating in South and East China to "commit arson, murder and wrecking".

Chinese were being specially trained in Japan and sent to the Chinese mainland as spies, it continued.

The agency declared that Communist China's currency was being counterfeited to cause financial collapse.

With General MacArthur's suupport, it said the "Youth Party" had decided in collaboration with Japanese agents to force Chinese currency to cover the expenditure of the "third force".

"Counterfeit currency will be smuggled into China via Hong Kong" the agency added.

REQUEST: Lala Achint Ram, M.P., Secretary, Servants of the People Society, in a circular letter to secretaries of all State Congress Committees, has requested them to observe in a befitting manner the 22nd birthday anniversary of Lala Lajpatrai, which falls on the November 17 next.

STOP SHORT STAPLE COTTON EXPORTS

Association's Plea

BOMBAY, Monday.

The East India Cotton Association, Bombay, has endorsed the view of its Vice-President, Mr. Chimanlal B. Parikh, that India should not export any quantity of short staple cotton, not being consumed by Indian textile mills and, therefore, regarded as "surplus"

Mr. Parikh suggested in a memorandum that short staple varieties were capable of being utilised in India with some suitable adjustments.

"The prospects of earning foreign exchange by means of exports of cotton would hardly merit consideration in the present circumstances when the economy of the country is in danger or is threatened," Mr. Parikh stated.

BAD REPURCUSSIONS

"The danger of allowing exports at this stage is that the short staple cotton prices will shoot up out of proportion to the prices of staple varieties which will demoralize the working of the cotton control policy." It would also have "undesirable repurcussions" on next year's crop, as the tendency of the growers would be to grow more and more of short staple cotton.

Cotton waste also should not be allowed to be exported, Mr. Parikh stated, as its price had been rising "ridiculously higher" than the controlled price of the relative cotton, and there was a tendency to turn actual cotton into waste and export it.

Nine Hurt In Rail Accident

CALCUTTA, Nov. 6 (PTI): Nine persons were injured this morning when a local train ran into the luggage van in the rear of another such train, waiting for clearance about a mile and a half from Sealdah Station.

The luggage van was smashed and the up main line on the Sealdah division remained blocked for over four hours, till 9-40 a.m.

Railway press note stated that first aid was rendered immediately at the site of the accident and only three of the injured were sent to hospital.

An enquiry will be held here by the Goverment Inspector of Railways tomorrow into the cause of the accident.

INDIANS IN CEYLON

'No Use In Calling R. T. C. To Discuss Issue'

COIMBATORE, Nov. 6, (PTI): The External Affairs Ministry in a communication to the Indian Chamber of Commerce, Coimbatore have stated that the Government of India do not consider that any useful purpose will be served by a round table conference at present to discuss the plight of Indian nationals in Ceylon.

The problem of Indian nationals in Ceylon is however, engaging their attention, the communication added.

CLAIMS REGARDING ELECTORAL ROLLS

Last Date Is Nov. 22

BOMBAY, Monday.

The last date for filing claims and objections regarding the electoral rolls, which have already been published for general information, is November 22, 1950.

The necessary forms in English for filing claims and objections are available with the Electoral office, Yatch Club, Apollo Bunder, in Greater Bombay, and with Mamlatdars and Mahalkaries in the mofussil.

Forms in Hindi and other regional languages will be available with them by November 10. If, however, any private bodies or persons desire to print these forms themselves, they may do so provided they conform to the official ones.

Government Press Workers' Wages To Be Raised

NEW DELHI, Nov. 6, (PTI): The Government of India have decided to revise the pay scales of Government press workers raising the wage bill by about Rs. 3,64,000 an increase of about 12.5 per cent over the existing total annual wage bill of Rs. 29,14,000, it was learnt today from official sources.

The decision it is understood, was in response to the 2-1/2 year old agitation of Government press workers demanding standardisation and revision of their pay scales which did not come under the purview of the Pay Commission's recommendations.

The increase will apply to about 14,000 workers of five Government presses in Calcutta, Delhi, Aligarh and Simla.

R.A.F. Bomb As They Like 12 Killed; 3 Indians

SINGAPORE, Nov. 6, (PTI): Three Indians were among the 12 persons killed on Saturday when an R. A. F. bomber attacking a bandit objective accidentally dropped five bombs near a latex collecting station in Utan Simpan estate about 20 miles north of Kuala Lumpur.

The killed Indians were the driver of a latex lorry, his assistant and a tapper. Others killed were nine Chinese. The father of a 17 year old Chinese girl tapper who died in hospital said no warning of the airstrike was given this time though there was warning before the last airstrike took place a month ago.

Assam Disturbances Enquiry

SHILLONG, Nov. 6, (PTI): At its resumed sitting today, the Assam Disturbances Enquiry Commission called 18 selected witnesses from the district of Goalpara and examined two of them in open. They gave evidence on the incidents in different areas of the district early this year. The remaining witnesses, all belonging to the minority community, were heard in camera on their prayer.

Woman Sentenced To Death In Calicut

CALICUT, Nov. 6, (PTI): The District and Sessions Judge, South Malabar today sentenced a woman Shankapath Mukamy, to death on the charge of murdering a sub-inspector of police.

According to the prosecution while Mukamy with another woman was being taken to the police station in a bus in connection with an encroachment case, she whipped out a knife and stabbed the sub-inspector who subsequently succumbed to his injuries in hospital.

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Leave The Kids Alone, PM Says

BOMBAY, Monday.

Addressing the workers of the Balkan-ji-Bari at Sunderabai Hall this morning, Prime Minister Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru deprecated the growing tendency on the part of that organization to clamour for Government recognition.

The Prime Minister believed that such recognition would do them no good. He left it would be better if Government were not invited to take direct part in their activities. On the contrary, it would be better if children themselves were made responsible for running their own organisation. That way alone they could be taught to face life in all its intricate and difficult aspects.

The Prime Minister called for the development of the habits of discipline, co-operation and cleanliness among children with a view to giving them a greater awarenes of their social obligations. He affirmed that imposing high ideals on young impressionable minds would be of no avail. What was actually needed was to inculcate in them a spirit of discipline and social consciousness.

ON TRIAL

Referring to the forthcoming elections, the Prime Minister observed that democracy was on trial in many countries of the world. This was not merely the rule of the majority, as it was commonly supported to be Democracy was bound to end in disaster unless it was backed by wise and able people. To prevent such a catastrophe, Pandit Nehru suggested that children of today should be made to understand and appreciate the implications of the democratic idea and the part they had to play to make it a success in their own country. It was imperative that parents should so educate their children as to develop in them the best they were capable of. That way alone true progress could be ensured.

Light Showers In Rayalaseema

ALL-INDIA WEATHER

POONA, Nov. 6 (PTI): Following is the daily weather summary for November 6 1950:—

There has been local rain in Orissa, Coastal Andhradesa, Rayalaseema and Mysore. A few showers have also occurred in Travancore-Cochin, Malabar-South Kanara, South Deccan (Desh) and South Hyderabad.

Night temperatures were appreciably below normal in Rajasthan, Madhya Bharat, Saurashtra and Kutch, Gujarat, West Madhya Pradesh and Bihar, they were appreciably above normal in East Hyderabad, Coastal Andhradesa, Orissa and South east Madhya Pradesh.

FORECAST VALID UNTIL THE EVENING OF 7TH: Weather will be dry over the country except for local showers in Mysore, Rayalaseema and Coastal Andhradesa and a few showers in Orissa, South Hyderabad, South Deccan (Desh) and the extreme south of the Peninsula.

Night temperatures may fall in Chota Nagpur, East Madhya Pradesh and Orissa.

Following is the daily weather chart showing the maximum and minimum temperatures and rainfall in inches during the past 24 hours from October 1, 1950 and departure from normal recorded at 8-30 hours I S T on November 6, 1950.

Akola 93 58 0 0.1 minus 1.9, Baroda 93 53 0 0 minus 1.9, Bhawnagar 93 60 0 0 minus 0.9, Bhuj 92 59 0 0 minus 0.3, BOMBAY 91 74 0 1.4 minus 1.4, Calcutta 87 71 0 9.7 plus 4.9, Cherrapunji 72 53 0 11.3 minus 9.5, Cochin 86 78 0 15.1 minus 0.5, Colombo 85 75 0 16.9 minus 0.4, Cuttack 89 73 0.1 2.7 minus 3.2, Delhi 84 53 0 0 minus 0.4, Gwalior 86 58 0 0.1, Hyderabad 91 72 0 2.1 minus 0.9, Indore 85 48 0 0.1 minus 1.2, Jaipur 85 51 0 0 minus 0.5, Jamnagar 93 55 0 0, Kodaikanal 64 51 T 8.5 minus 3.8, Kolhapur 91 69 0 7.6, Lucknow 91 51 0 0.1 minus 1.2, Madras 89 76 0 6.2 minus 9.5, Mussoorie 61 46 0 0 minus 1.2, Mysore 85 68 0 4.6 minus 2.0, Nagpur 90 57 0 0.5 minus 2.0, Ootacamund 68 48 0 9.2 minus 0.2, Pachmarhi 78 47 0 0.2 minus 2.2, Patiala 86 50 0 0, Patna 90 61 0 0 minus 2.3, Poona 91 61 0 2.8 minus 1.1, Rajkot 92 55 0 0 minus 0.6, Ranchi 82 0 1.1 minus 2.3, Shillong 71 44 0 6.1 minus 1.5, Simla 60 45 0 0.3 minus 1.0, Trivandrum 87 74 0 7.2 minus 5.5.

APPEAL AGAINST PROHIBITION JUDGMENT

Centre's Pressure On State

BOMBAY, MONDAY

IT WAS LEARNT FROM AN UNIMPEACHABLE SOURCE IN BOMBAY TODAY THAT THE BOMBAY CABINET'S DECISION TO GO IN APPEAL WITH REGARD TO THE PROHIBITION JUDGMENT OF THE BOMBAY HIGH COURT, WITH WHICH THEY WERE MORE THAN SATISFIED, WAS TAKEN WITH GREAT RELUCTANCE AND AT THE BEHEST OF THE CENTRE.

It was gathered that the appeal which is being preferred before the Supreme Court of India is not only in respect of the provisions in the Prohibition Act which affect the armed forces, but also in respect of several other provisions of the Act.

The Bombay Cabinet has been forced to revoke an earlier unanimous decision taken by them not to go in appeal in spite of several representations made to them by heads of the Defence Forces.

The source stated that at a recent meeting of the Bombay Cabinet held in Poona to discuss the Centre's instructions to prefer an appeal against the judgment of the High Court there was a consensus of opinion that such a course was in direct conflict with the principles on which the Bombay Cabinet acted, since the inception of their prohibition programme.

INSISTENCE

It appears that the Central Government wrote to the Bombay Government insisting that they should go in appeal not only because the Centre felt that the clauses in the Bombay Prohibition Act pertaining to the concessions allowed to the personnel of the Defence Services had been rendered nugatory, but also because the Centre felt that so many other clauses in the Prohibition Act should receive the scrutiny of the highest tribunal in the country.

Bombay, it is learnt, expressed its a keen disapprobation of this type of interference in its autonomous domain by the Centre, the more so because pressure was being brought upon the Bombay Cabinet to revoke an important decision which they had already taken, brushing aside all representations made to them not only by the heads of the armed forces but also chter quarters.

The result of this protest, it is understood, was that the Centre offered the Bombay Government a face-saving chance which also would ensure that they suffered no qualms of conscience. This device was to take the decision to go in appeal only because the Centre wanted such a course to be adopted by the Bombay Cabinet.

The responsibility for the decision is entirely the Centre's.

JUDGES' PERMITS

It was learnt from the same source that the three Judges of Bombay High Court who had applied for permits were given the facility to be examined at their residences not because they were sick or infirm as the provisions of the Prohibition Act required, but because they being busy persons had not the time to queue up before the medical boards.

Mr. M. D. Bhansali, former Excise Commissioner, Bombay, will now take over as the Director of Prohibition from Dr. A. U. Shaikh, the present incumbent of the post, who goes to the Revenue Department as Deputy Secretary.

The Government of Bombay has given six more vendors' licences in Greater Bombay for the sale of liquor as the hitherto existing six vendors could not cope with the supplies wanted by permit-holders. The total of twelve licences issued in the city, the source said, was not any indication that Government had in any way changed their prohibition policy or a re-orientation of it was expected in the near future.

It is learnt that several applicants for permits, foreigners as well as Indians, find that the present machinery and procedure for obtaining permits is not satisfactory.

In memory of King Gustav of Sweden the national flag will be flown half-mast at Central Government buildings in Delhi on November 9, the funeral day.

Charged With Murder

BOMBAY, Monday.

A murder was committed in broad daylight near the Madanpura mosque on Saturday, the Nagpada Police reported today.

According to the Police, Rashidali Ramzankhan, the alleged assailant who stood surety in a case recently for Shoukatali Mustafa, stabbed Mustafa brutally as he is stated to have planned to jump bail and leave Bombay.

On Saturday at 2 p.m. when Mustafa was a standing near a mosque, the alleged went to him and told him that dire consequences would follow if Mustafa left Bombay jumping bail. Mustafa is alleged to have replied that he would do as he pleased and that Rashidali had no business to interfere.

This reply is stated to have enraged Rashidali who is alleged to have whipped out a knife and stabbed Mustafa. Mustafa fell down unconscious on the spot and was removed to the hospital where he succumbed to his injuries.

The Nagpada Police later arrested Rashidali and charged him with murder.

ELIMINATE FOREIGN POCKETS IN INDIA

Goan Leader's Appeal

BOMBAY, Monday.

An appeal to the Government of India to take immediate steps to eliminate foreign pockets in India was made by Mr. Waman Desai General Secretary of the United Front of Goans, at the "muhurat" ceremony of a dance ballet staged in aid of Goan political prisoners and sufferers yesterday.

Mr. Desai said that if Government failed to take any steps in this direction and did not assist Goans in winning their freedom from Portuguese dominion, the position of India would become insecure in the event of any emergency.

'Quake Shock

An earthquake shock of moderate intensity at its origin with epicentre about 3,935 miles away from Bombay at latitude 44-1/2 degrees north and longitude 135 degrees east in the USSR near the Pacific Coast was recorded by the seismograph at the Colaba observatory at 23 hrs. 17 minutes 1st on Sunday, November 5.

CITY & SUBURBS

TODAY

Hindu: Asoe Vad 12, 2006
Muslim: Mohammram 6, 1369
Parsi: Khordad 6, 1320
Sunrise 6-41 a.m., Sunset 6-3 p.m.
Hightide 09-20, 22-18 Lowtide 03-18, 15-52.

Today's Engagements

Y.W.C.A.: Mrs. Corey Sanderson, Vice-Consul, U.S.A. will speak on U.N. at the Y.W.C.A., Mayo Road 6 p.m.

Y.M.C.A.: Mr. P. Narayan Prasad, Director of Research, Reserve Bank of India will speak on "Development problems in Under-Developed Economy," 12 Wodehouse Road 6-30 p.m.

ROTARY CLUB: Mr. H. Holck-Larsen will speak on the "Engineer in Food Production" at Green's Hotel 1-45 p.m.

SANSKAR MANDAL: Shri Dilip Kumar Roay will speak on "Shri Aurbindo" Wilson College Hall 6 p.m.

RUSSIAN REVOLUTION DAY: Under the auspices of the Bombay Girni Kamgar Union (Red Flag), Bombay Province Trade Union Congress, The Bombay Committee of the Communist Party, Peasants' and Workers' Party, Forward Communist Party, a public meeting will be held at Kamgar Maidan to celebrate the 33rd anniversary of the USSR at 5 p.m. on Nov. 7.

F. S. U. MEETING: Under the auspices of the F. S. U. Bombay, a Public Meeting will be held on Tuesday the 7th instant, at 6-30 p.m. at the Sunderbai Hall, Churchgate, Bombay, to celebrate the anniversary of the Great October Revolution. Speakers will be Principal M. V. Donde, Kishen Chandar, S. V. Gupte and A. S. R. Chari.

It is notified for general information that the Pakistan Permit Office, Bombay, will remain closed on Thursday, the 9th November, 1950, on account of "Diwali."

PEN Meeting Cancelled

BOMBAY, Monday.

The P.E.N. meeting scheduled for Tuesday has been cancelled as Dr. Wallace Stegner's arrival is delayed owing to illness.

Musical Feature On Diwali

On the occasion of "Divali" (November 9) All India Radio, Bombay, will broadcast at 12 noon a musical feature entitled "DEEPOTSAVA."

Written by D. V. Tendulkar, "Depotsava" is the story of a family awaiting the arrival of their future son-in-law. The lamps are lit, and the 'courtyard' is decorated. The programme will be heard on 353 and 31.41 metres.

The Sholapur Municipal Council on Monday elected Mr. Abasaheb Baburao Killedar (Congress) as its President for the ensuing year. Mr. Virbhadrappa Malappa Konapure (Congress) was elected Vice-President.

Need For Health Centres In India

P.M. OPENS HOSPITAL AT VILE PARLE

BOMBAY, Monday.

Prime Minister Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru stressed today the need for coordinating the work of medical, health and educational centres. He was declaring open the Dr. Balabhai Nanavati Hospital at Vile Parle.

The Prime Minister urged that the importance of hygiene and sanitation should be impressed upon the health centres and more particularly upon the school-going children. Unless this was done hospitals would never achieve their objective.

The Prime Minister who was in a pleasant mood regaled his audience by remarking that he himself had not been in a hospital for a long time, but that he sympathised with those who found it necessary to be treated in a hospital. He further observed that he was in agreement with the idea of establishing a health centre in the hospital, as mooted by the Governing Body of the Hospital. He wished there were many more such centres in the country.

A large and cosmopolitan gathering including several Bombay Ministers was present at the function. The hospital, said to be the biggest in the suburbs, is built with a view to perpetuating the memory of the late Dr. Balabhai Navati, a former Acting Chief Medical Officer of Baroda.

Mr. Manilal Nanavati who welcomed the Prime Minister outlined the future plan of the hospital, he said that it would provide excellent opportunities for preventing and checking disease.

Dr. Jivraj Mehta proposed a vote of thanks.

INDIAN WRITERS' HOMAGE TO G.B.S.

BOMBAY, Monday.

The Bombay branch of the All-India Progressive Writers' Association held a meeting on November 5 to mourn the death of George Bernard Shaw at Deodhar Hall. A resolution condoling the death of the greatest dramatist was passed in which the progressive writers pledged to study the profound truths he taught, and to absorb the heritage he left behind to the posterity.

PABLO NERUDA, the well-known Chilean poet, sent the following message to the meeting:

"Bernard Shaw is a gigantic experiment of ironic and sarcastic creation, of ambitious criticism directed against the prejudices and vices of a dying society. The Imperialist Bourgeoisie mourns him with crocodile tears. But, in reality, they are happy to see the giant finally asleep, unable to tell them the terrible truth except from the pages of his books. And now they will soon bury him—with earth and then with forgetfulness. The same happened to Zolo and Anatole France. A class has forgotten them. But tomorrow they will be revived again. The progressive writers must remember that Bernard Shaw was not misled by official anti-Sovietism. He was a sincere friend of the Soviet Union and proclaimed that friendship till the end of his days. This will add to his genius a grandeur which the people will not forget."

TODAY'S RADIO

TUESDAY, Nov. 7.

AIR NEWS FROM DELHI

Bengali—7-30 a.m. 1-30 p.m. 7-30. Bnglish—8 a.m. 1-30 p.m. 6, 9 Gujarati—8-45 a.m. 7 p.m. 6-10, 9-15, Kannada—7-45 a.m. 7-45 3-15, Hindi 8-15 a.m. 1-40 p.m. Malayalam—7-30 a.m. 7-30 p.m. Marathi—8-30 a.m. 12-50 p.m. 8 Tamil—7-15 a.m. 2 p.m. 7-15, Teluku—7 a.m. 1-50 p.m. 7, Urdu—9 a.m. 8 p.m.

BOMBAY

244 m., 07-30 Subhahita, 07-35 Mangal smaran, 07-40 Prog., 07-45 Hindi by radio, 08-15 A Husain, todi, 13-40 Cl. concert, 17-30 S. Shirodkar, kh. p. dhanashree, 17-45 B Mishra, tabla, 18-10 Lalita Kalambi, kh. puria, 18-30 A Husain, kh. bhim, 19-00 D Kumar, G songs, 19-10 Locals, 19-30 D Kumar, G songs, 1945 For industrial workers, 20-30 B B Rindarni's G play, "Int Vaidun", 21-15 D Kumar, G songs, 21-30 J He Ifetz, violin, 21-45 A C Clarke, Bombay's money market, 22-00 "There's something in air".

VARIATIONS, 353 m., 08-00 B Mishra, tabla, 08-45 S Shirodkar, compositions of Medgulkar, 12-45 Tantrakari, 12-50 Madhur gani, 13-50 K songs, 17-30 For children HU, 18-00 S Shirodkar, bhavgeet, 18-20 For villagers, in M, and 18-50 in K, 19-20 Sundrabhai, abhang, 19-30 Commercial news, 20-15 Hindi by radio, 20-30 N K Dravid's M talk, 20-45 Shanta Shelke, poetry recitiation, M, 21-00 Lalita Kalambi, kh. kamod, 21-30 Film songs, 21-45 B Mishra, tabla, 22-00 A Husuain, kh, bahar.

BARODA

250 m., 07-55 Pratshsmaran, 08-15 Nirabai Badkar, v. & d. kh. 18-20 A R Maroo, G geets, 18-30 For rural listeners, 19-00 Hindi lessons, 19-15 M R Bujumdar's talk, G, 19-30 Mirabai Badkar, thumri, bhajan, pad, 20-00 G geets, 20-10 Locals, 20-30 Mirabai Badkar, v & d. kh., 21-15 A R Maroo, G geets, 21-30 As in Ahmedabad. 21-45 Radio Orch.

AHMEDABAD

326-1 m. 07-55 Pratahsmaram, 08-15 V Kansara & party, bhajans, 08-30 Rag ranjan, 18-20 As in Baroda, 18-30 Shakuntala Khilnani, G geets, 19-00 Hindi lessons, 19-15 As in Baroda, 19-30 For industrial workers, 20-00 Lovals, 20-05 Shakuntala khilnani, bhajans, 20-30 V R Athavle, cl., 20-45 V Kansara & party, bhajans, 21-15 Vaividhya, 21-30 K K Sahani, talk on cultural affinities, E. 21-45 As in Baroda.

Maupassant's Story On A. I. R.

At 10-00 P.M. tomorrow (November 7) All India Radio, Bombay, will broadcast a radio adaptation of Guy de Maupassant's well-known story "The Necklace" on 244 and 41.44 metres.

The radio adaptation of "The Necklace" has been done by Adi Marzban.

Pick Of AIR Programmes

NOW that Radio has achieved the popularity of an everyday commodity, here's The Bombay Chronicle inaugurating a weekly corner devoted to the wind and the waves, which will detail the highlights and lowlights of the various stations of AIR.

Before we really get going on the job, here's something to keep you going, being a forecast of the highlights of the current week's programme.

On Tuesday, at 10 p.m. Adi Marzban will present an adaption of Guy de Maupassant's famous short story, "The Necklace," featurning Mark Robinson, quite a talented pianist himself. Maupassant's short story is about the most famous in his collection, it should be mighty interesting to hear what Adi makes of it.

On Thursday, 9th November, at 12 noon, we shall have a musical feature on the Divali festival, written by D. V. Tendulkar produced by A. S. Dholekar, and featuring Sudha Amonkar, Anusuya Chaudhari, Indu Bondse, Anant Damle, Vanamala Jhaveri, Nalini Mulgaonkar, R. N. Paradkar and other artistes. Also at 8-45 p.m. is a feature in Gujarati on "Diwali", by Shri Madhukar Randeria. The script is based on an old Hindu legend. It seems that when Raja Bhoj that was about to mount the throne was believed to belong to Vikram—after whom the Hindu Era started—each of the thirty-two fairies studded on the throne came to life, and started fuestioning Raja Bhoj if he possessed all the kingly qualities for which Raja Vikram was renowned far and wide. After a great deal of deliberation, Bhoj admitted that he did not possess those kingly qualities, so the fairies took the throne away to "Swarga".

In Randeria's adaptation of the legend he introduces two fairies, who ask us if we are celebrating Divali in the right sense, and whether we appreciate the true significance of Divali. The festival does not only imply filling our own homes with. Light, but it means that we must throw light on our minds by helping our fellow men, and correcting anti-social behaviour. A good moral this, and what better than the medium of the radio to spread the message to the greatest number?

BARODEKAR

On Friday, 10th November, at 10-40 p.m. Hirabai Barodekar will come over the AIR to sing a Khayal, Thumri and Marathi Pad. Charming Hirabai Barodekar, slender in build and simple in temperament, is a pupil of Ustad Mohommad Khan and Ustad Wahid Khan, and an inheritor of the glorious legacy of Ustad Abdul Karim Khan. Her Gaiki is noted for Vilambit delineation but she is equally at home in Thumri, Bhajan, and Marathi Pad. Hher sister, Saraswati Rane, and her brother Sureshbabu Rane, are also well-known vocalists. Hirabai is a star in the field of Indian Classical Music; her renditions are noted for charm and excellence.

On Saturday at 9-45 p.m. there will be a talk by Dr. Ram Verma, on "The cheapest census in the world". The talk will deal with the forthcoming Indian census, which is one of the biggest operations in the world. Dr. Verma is the Deputy Secretary of the Indian Tariff Board, Bombay, and was Deputy Secretary of the Indian Fiscal Commission when its chairman was Sir V. T. Krishnamachari

THE VOICE

Coming to a Voice which you have often heard over the radio-here's Mr. L. G. E. Clarke, All India Radio's Ace Commentator. Now with the radio fold for nearly sixteen years, "nobby" Clarke started his career in Calcutta as News Editor in the days of the old Indian State Broadcasting Service and has been through the whole gamut of Broadcasting Music, editorial work, news announcer and commentator. He is believed to hold the world's record having read 9644 news bulletines over a period of 12 years. Sports-lovers will hear him in action again this winter when the Commonwealth XI visits Bombay for the Second Test Match.

Mr. L. G. E. Clarke, AIR's Ace Commentator.

The Pulse Of The City

LIQUOR SEIZURE: The Railway police arrested on Sunday, Gangaram Narayan Salvi and seized 74 bottles of foreign liquor which he was alleged to have been carrying.

DACOITY: Sitalprasad Mataprasad, alleged to be a gang leader, was arrested by the police on suspicion. It is alleged that he forced open the front door of a house on Bharni Road off Sion-Trombay Road on Saturday night along with a dozen accomplices and robbed the inmates of cash and ornaments valued at Rs. 3,500 after a show of violence.

DEPUTATION: A five-man deputation led by Mr. Peter Alvares, Socialist M.L.A. waited on Mr. Dinkerrao Desai, Civil Supplies Minister at the Secretariat on Monday to demand changes in the Bombay Government's procurement policy.

MUSIC PERFORMANCE: A musical concert was arranged at the Common Club Hall, Bombay Airport, Santa Cruz on Sunday evening. Ganabhushana Sri Vaidyanathan, one of the talented disciples of Sri Semmangudi Srinivasa Iyer, the reputed musician of South India, gave a vocal performance, while Mrs. Varadarajulu accompanied him on the violin.

ARRESTED: Abdul Kadar Mohammed Isak, a B.E.S.T. bus conductor was arrested by the Nagpada police yesterday for allegedly micappropriating a sum of Rs. 1,422/12/0 belonging to the B.E.S.T. Undertaking

COUPLE ARRESTED IN CITY

BOMBAY, Monday.

A city couple were arrested by the CID Crime Branch II on Saturday for being in possession of a large quantity of sugar and rice above the normal quota allowed under the rationing regulations.

Producing Bhagwandas Narsi Meghendhi and his wife before Presidency Magistrate Mr. J. M. Barrot at the Mazagaon Court today, the police stated acting on information Deputy Inspector Patel and S. I. Sakri of Crime Branch II raided Room No. 4 on the first floor of Karabhai Moolji Bhatia Nivas at Babu Genu Street. The police after a search of the room found 139 lbs. of sugar and 96 lbs. of rice above the normal quantities permitted.

The first accused was not present at the time of the raid. His wife who was present could furnish only four ration cards against the quantity stored. The room stands in the name of the first accused.

They were ordered to be released on bail.

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PROHIBITION IN BOMBAY

If, as has been widely reported, the Bombay Government has been moved to appeal against Prohibition Judgment by the Central Government, then the meaning of it should be clearly appreciated. It is not a matter of shifting the responsibility for an unpalatable decision on to another authority. Whether the Bombay Government appeals because it feels that the Prohibition Act as amended cannot be enforced effectively, or whether it does so because the Central Government finds it embarrasing is neither here nor there. The plain fact emerges out of all the chaos of the last few months that in the spirit in which Prohibition is being approached by the Government, it cannot be given effect to by one State in one State.

There have been in the past few days complaints about the manner in which the applicants for permits have been dealth with. Anything like upholding the rule of law is woefully absent in the authorities of the Government which have to deal with the issue of licence or permit. Added to the resentment felt by those who chafe under the deprivation of drink, which might be regarded as inevitable in any effective Prohibition enforcement policy, there is the irritation caused by justifiable failure to understand the vagaries of the permit-issuing authorities. Unnecessary delays in courts and the prevalence of illicit ways of getting liquor have added to the general chaos of Prohibition working.

He is no friend of Prohibition who glosses over these very real problems and it is necessary that they be faced fairly and squarely. It is a common experience with all who ride into the city on the BEST bus to see the Mahim police carrying out their duties in a most perfunctory manner, occasionally pausing in their hurried walk through the bus to pat the pocket of some unoffending passenger. If Prohibition is to be seriously put through, let it be done with dignity and earnestness.

Now that the Bombay Government has accepted the pressure of the Central Government in the matter of preferring an appeal to the Supreme Court, it might proceed with the objective of impressing on the Government of India the need to initiate an all India policy which can be given effect to with some uniformity throughout the country. What has so far been accomplished in Bombay and Madras can be regarded as pioneering work for the cause, and an experiment in applying the reform in a limited area. The experience gathered in these three years amply shows that the strain of applying the policy within this limit is much greater than it would be if undertaken on a countrywide scale.

It is possible that the acceptance of the Bombay lead on an all India basis might lead to a temporary slowing down of the Prohibition programme. If it is found that a more gradual pace is called for in order to cover a wider territory and a larger population, the Bombay Government can afford to yield for a greater gain, a gain all the more desirable since it will restore to Bombay State the initiative which it seems today to have lost in the adoption of an attitude of permanent defensive.

The appeal to the Supreme Court will not guarantee the correction of the condition caused by the decision of the Bombay High Court, even if the Central Government feel that it is inconvenient. Nor will the other defects arising out of the policy of enforcement to which we have referred be resolved. The Bombay Government, we can well understand, has been left with very little time to attend to the practical inconveniences caused by its enforcement policy and the manner in which it is being implemented. What with pressure from the Central Government—we can infer from the example of what has happened about the appeal that it is by no means an isolated instance—and the uncontrolled agitation of the Prohibitionists, the Government has been virtually compelled to pursue one policy without the slightest moderation or change. This, to be frank, has been good neither for the cause nor for the people. The Bombay Government might well take the opportunity afforded by the present decision to open discussion with the Central Government on the basis of a sound Prohibition policy and once for all clear itself of the possibilities of future interference. In the process, it is inevitable that the influences at work will effect mutual changes but it will make for greater stability in the country as a whole.

Faiyaz Khan

By the death of Ustad Faiyaz Khan, India loses not only an artist of the first rank but a veteran whose glory of voice shaped Hindustani Music and elevated it to epic heights. A dominant and imposing personality in the field for over half a century, many have been the marathons he staged in which he pulled the enthusiasm of his listeners to frenzy. Belonging to the famous musical family, popularly known as "Rangila Gharana" of Agra, he was the exponent of a flawless technique, which his admirers claim as the geneological descendant of the great master, Tansen. Added to this superb technique were the pitch and range of his voice and the tonal volume which transmuted his rendering into high class artistry. He was perhaps one of the few artistes whose evenness of voice enabled scientific intonation of musical notes and their nuances in all planes without being split or otherwise marred. A man of keen vision, he used to build up every tune he sang stage by stage emphasising each phrase, finally projecting into the mind's eye of the audience the correct "Bhava" or mood of the Raga and the song set in it.

It was this innate sense of melody that gave a unique structural finish and vitality to the music which was Faiyaz Khan. He was equally at home in Dhamar and Thumri as in Khyal and exhibited a variety of 'Tans' which were charming improvisations of a master mind. Though an uncompromising classicists, he did not indulge in soulless virtuosity by acrobatics of mechanised 'Tans', and 'Tayaris', but kept up the high level melody and the poetry of the composer. It was these qualities that earned him the title of 'Aftab--Musiqui,' or the "Sun of Music". Gifted with a rich voice, the late Faiyaz Khan was always a lover of good voice, wherever he could find it. This explains the musical 'camaraderie' between him and the film star Saigal, the idol of cinefans.

Ustad Faiyaz Khan's disciples run to legion, occupying a high place in music as well as in the film world. More, his 'unofficial' disciples hail from all classes of society. It is upto them to perpetuate the memory of this master musician whom India could ill afford to lose. They cannot do it better than by attending to the needs of displaced musicians who have become orphans of the storm after the merger of the Princely States. The wealth of classical music is with them and let us not, by default, disinherit ourselves of our priceless legacy by our indifference towards these classical exponents.

Thought For The Day

The gift of knowledge is a far higher gift than that of food and clothes; it is even higher than giving life to a man, because the real life of man consists of knowledge. Ignorance is death, knowledge is life. Life is of very little value, if it is a life in the dark, groping through ignorance and misery.—VIVEKANANDA.

Tete-a-Tete

WITHOUT COMMENT.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4 (UPI): Mr. Henry A. Wallace former vice-President of U.S.A. has said that he now believed that Russia will "want a shooting war" as soon as it is ready.

Mr. Wallace, who broke with the Progressive Party he founded because the Party would not condemn Russia after the Korean invasion, said he had changed his mind about the aims of the Soviet Union.

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Addressing the Girgaum Congress workers conference Shri B. G. Kher urged that it would be wrong for Congressmen to think that there was no more need for public service now that the Congress was in power.

The trouble is that even those who think wrong loudly agree.

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At the same time Shri Shankerrao Deo referred to the existence of certain defects in the Congress Organisation itself and complained that Socialists and Communists were trying to exploit the discontent and discredit the Congress.

Why blame the Socialists and Communists then?

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According to a Karachi report arrangements are well in hand for the holding of the second sessions of the World Muslim Conference in January next.

Not a bad idea to revive Karachi's grandiose "World Muslim Conference" every periodical sessions at Karachi for the duration of the sessions.

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The Afghan Embassy in Washington is reported to have indicated that "More serious incidents may follow the recent bloodshed on the Afghan-Pakistan border".

If Mr. Liaquat Ali Khan, who is now on the spot, so to speak, in Khybar, accepts the advice of "his" Mr. Abdul Qaiyum Khan and acts accordingly, we are sure that a whole lot more than the Pakistani needful will be done effectively and speedily.

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WASHINGTON: President Truman said today that President Elpidio Quirino of the Philippines seemed very pleased with the report of the Special U.S. Economic Survey Mission in the Islands.

With the exposure of corruption, inefficiency, etc, too?

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Peking Radio has reported a joint declaration by the Democratic Parties of China to the effect that throughout the country, people "are enthusiastically volunterring to resist American agression, to aid Korea and to protect their homes and defend their country".

Now we know what is China. And what has happened to the Democratic Parties of China.

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Moscow, November 4: British, United States and French Ambassadors were summoned separately to the Russian Foreign Office late last evening.

To tell them not to forget the European area of conflict?

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The French Foreign Minister, M. Robert Schuman, has revealed that his country would hold to its position against full participation of the Germans in a planned unified European Army.

M. Stalin is entitled gratefully to explain that his opponents are his most helpful friends.

PROMOTE WELFARE OF COMMON MAN

Shri Nehru's Appeal To Business Community

BOMBAY, Monday.

The responsibility of the business community in India, to promote the welfare of the common man by fair and honourable business practices, was emphasised by Shri Jawaharlal Nehru, Prime Minister of India, at a meeting of the 8-30 club at the Taj Mahal Hotel today.

He said that the yardstick by which the success of any Government could be measured was by the good that it had done to the common people. This was not a responsibility which Government alone could efficiently discharge, and a tremendous responsibility rested on the mercantile community also in this respect.

There were may problems before the country, mainly of an economic nature, and it was not possible to solve the malaise from which the country was suffering by shouting slogans and indulging in loose talk of social and public service.

Turning to Bombay's Home Minister Morarji Desai, who was one of the guests, the Prime Minister lightly remarked, "I wish Mr. Morarji Desai would bring forth some legislation banning this type of meaningless talk about service."

FEELING OF FRUSTRATION

He felt that condition in the country today were none too happy and there was a feeling of frustration in many quarters. This frustration was not peculiar to India but was a malaise which the world was suffering from.

There were above five wars going on simultaneously in various parts of the world and with the Chinese march on Tibet, war had come to the very frontiers of India itself. But there was no need to be unduly alarmed about this, for Indian history clearly showed that whenever the country came under a foreign conqueror, it was more due to internal weakness than to the strength of invaders.

Today India had to choose whether she would remain strong and powerful or would collapse. This had to be decided by the Indians themselves and none else could have a say in the matter.

No Government in the world, irrespective of the ideology that it pursued, be it socialist, communist or democratic, could survive for long without the sanction and the support of the people. This support was always contingent on the confidence that a government enjoyed in its ability and desire to do good. It was of fundamental importance that the lot of the common people should be ameliorated and to this the present Indian Government was pledged. But Government alone could not put through everything which it planned, without the co-operation of the industrialists and the trading classes. As a matter of fact government had a number of helpful programmes, some of which had been retarded in their execution on account of financial difficulties.

MORAL WEAKNESS

The Prime Minister felt that weakness had crept into the Indian society, especially as a result of the restraints and discipline imposed upon by the war, being no longer operative. There was a weakening of the moral fibre of society. "When the moral standards of a society are lowered in trade, commerce or industry or social intercourse, when truth is displaced by treachery, the descent has begun seriously", he added.

Independence, the Prime Minister said, had brought increased responsilities. On account of her population, resources and peculiar geographical location in Asia, India occupied a peculiarly important position in the counsels of the nations. This increased prestige was not of India's seeking, but inevitable on account of a large number of reasons. As such India had only two alternatives, either to rise to the position of a great and first rate power or to sink low. There was no via media for India. It was, therefore, of the first importance that everyone, industrialists, merchants and all others, strived their utmost to help India to attain to her destiny. In this context, it was to realise, how important it was for the government to have the support of the people to the maximum extent. This could only be done by eradicating discontent, by re-establishing fair trade practices, and giving the common man a hope for the future. In the pre-Independence eras, people were prepared to put up with all manner of hardships as they thought of the future which was bright with hope and promise.

It was always a signal of looming danger when the common man lost this hope and had nothing to look to. This would result in confusions and upheavals.

He appealed to the merchants so to conduct the trade and commerce of the country that they extended the fullest co-operation to the government in the effort, to rehabilitate the common man and improve his standards of life.

Mr. Kamalnayan Bajaj, Steward-in-Chief of the Club, welcomed the distinguished visitor.

Flood Situation In Assam Improves

SHILLONG, Nov. 6 (UPI): An all-round improvement in the flood situation in the Saidya-Pasighat-Lakhimpur sector is reported from Assam.

The water-level of the swollen rivers Dibag, Churmura and Lohit off Sadiya is reported to be gradually decreasing. Consequent to an improvement in the situation refugees from relief camps are returning to their villages.

New Steel Allocations

NEW DELHI, Nov. 6 (UPI): For the construction of houses and other buildings for displaced persons, the Central Ministry of Rehabilitation has allocated 5,000 tons of steel for the first quarter of 1951 to 12 State Governments or house building societies.

In the latest list of allocations, West Bengal is the largest recipient with 1,700 tons, more than one-third of the total. The other large recipient is Bombay with 1,200 tons. The Sindhu Resettlement Corporation which is building a refugee township at Kandla, has received 400 tons. Allocations have also been made for constructing work in Himachal Pradesh Faridabad, Rajpura, Madhya Bharat, Madhya Pradesh, PEPSU, Vindhya Pradesh and the Andamans.

PROSECUTION OF DETENUS

Government Approval Essential

MADRAS, Nov. 6 (PTI).—The Madras High Court held today that prosecutions against detenus under the Security Prisoners' Rules could not be launched by jail superintendents without obtaining the previous approval of government.

The question arose out of a petition filed on behalf of K. T. K. Thangamani, a detenu in the Vellore Central Jail who contended that the prosecution against him under the Security Prisoners' Rules for having been on hunger-strike in November last was launched before the District Magistrate of North Arcot without the specific approval of Government and, as such, it was "void and inoperative."

It was contended on behalf of Government that by a previous memorandum they had given general permission to all jail superintendents to launch such prosecutions against security prisoners.

Mr. Justice Govinda Menon and Mr. Justice Basheer Ahmed Sayeed observed that such directions of Government were contrary to the statutory rules and as such, the lower court had no jurisdiction to take cognisance of the complaint.

Their Lordships said: "Each case, as ad when it occurred, should be reported to government and they should consider the necessity, expediency or otherwise, of launching prosecutions separately. Only after such approval was accorded, could prosecutions be launched."

Their Lordships, therefore, quashed the proceedings pending before the District Magistrate against the petitioner.

Why Sindri Project? Mahatab Explains

JHARIA, Nov. 6 (PTI): Mr. Harekrushna Mahatab, Industry and Supply Minister, Government of India said here that Government undertook the Sindri fertilizer project to increase food production and to relieve the "acute" food scarcity now prevailing throughout the country.

Mr. Mahatab, who was addressing the workers of the Sindri factory here on Saturday last said that there was shortage of food and cloth in the country. He asked them to work hard to increase production.

OUR READERS' VIEWS

BEST Experiments

I entirely agree with your columnist 'In a China Shop' in the 'Bombay Chronicle' dated 1st November about the doomed experiment of the BEST undertaking of running O—Ltd. route.

The public of King's Circle—Matunga (G.I.P.) have been long clamouring for a direct bus service from King's Circle to Girgaum so that they may be relieved of the untold hardship and inconvenience of changing from one route to another, waiting in long queues for a considerable time in hot sun and heavy downpours with the result that it requires more than one and a half hours to reach Girgaum. At present there is no direct bus service from King's Circle to Opera House except the slow-moving tram. Will the BEST authorities give us relief by running a bus service from King's circle to Opera House instead of resorting to such doomed uneconomic experiments of running queer routes like O-Ltd., C-Ltd. etc. for the service of thousands which will be a really paying proposition to them?

B. D. MEHTA.

RAISING INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

High-Level Consultative Body To Be Set Up

NEW DELHI, Nov. 6 (UPI): It is understood that the Govt. of India's proposal to set up a high-level consultative committee to advise them on problems of industrial production and development was endorsed by the Central Advisory Council of Industries which met in New Delhi this afternoon.

Besides the Minister for Industry and Supply, Shri Hare Krishna Mahatab, who is the Chairman of the Council, today's meeting was attended by Shri C. Rajagopalashari, Minister without Portfolio, Shri C. D. Deshmukh, Minister for Finance, and the members of the Planning Commission.

It is further understood that there was a general discussion, lasting about three hours, during which industrial production and the special problems relating to individual industries were reviewed.

Our Ways Of Bringing Up Children Are Bad

NEHRU ASKS PARENTS TO CREATE RIGHT ATMOSPHERE

BOMBAY, Monday.

INDIA'S Prime Minister, Shri Jawaharlal Nehru today said that it was time "we in India realise that our ways of bringing up children have not been successful or good."

Declaring open the "Children Week" and an exhibition organised by the All India Women's Conference at the Elphinstone High School this evening, Shri Nehru said that it was important to provide the right atmosphere for children to grow up.

"The Children's Week" draws attention to the problem. That by itself is an achievement. It empnasises the right channels in which the upbringing of children ought to be directed to. That also is an achievement," he added.

The Prime Minister prefaced his speech with the remark that "in all affairs it will be more becoming if elders took the backseats and gave the front rows to the children."

"I will even go so far as to say that it will be better if the elders sought to learn from the children. There is a strange idea that the children should be taught a great deal. It is partly true, but the difficulty is about what to teach. We are so mistaught or badly taught that if we try to pass off our limited store of knowledge to the children, it does not do them good.

"Before we presume to teach others, we have to unlearn a lot ourselves. We have first of all to know what to teach, when, how and whom. All of us talk about it loudly, but the fact is that the educational system in India is not exactly perfect and we are after all the products of this normal system. It can be improved upon and hence obviously we should not pass on our ways and methods of thinking to the children."

Shri Nehru explained that sentiment followed naturally, but "the remarkable thing in life is that what follows naturally is not believed or followed."

EXCELLENT IDEA

Complimenting the A.I.W.C. for organising the "Children's Week," Shri Nehru said that it "is an excellent idea" since it seeks to pay particular attention to the needs of the children and make forgetful parents remember them. But how exactly children's weeks should be celebrated has been worrying me."

"Frankly," Shri Nehru said, "all I know about children is exceedingly limited. I know that I like them. Beyond that it a matter for great experts. But curiously, in spite of all the expert knowledge, often the great experts do not like children. It is like the botanists who know the Latin names of all the flowers but do not think of flowers as things of beauty and joy; the beauty of the flowers escape them largely."

The Prime Minister said that generally children were referred to as "Citizens of Tomorrow" or as "The Hopes of the Future" or as "Wealth of the Nations." The exact meaning of these phrases was not clear. But the fact was that in India, "we have failed miserably with regard to children."

He gave two reasons for this "failure." One was that "we are very fond of children" and the other "we are utterly careless of our children."

The two reasons may appear contradictory, Shri Nehru said. But the average parent, he added, was terribly, unintelligently fond of his children and provided a bad atmosphere for them. There was very little care or thoughtful attention shown to them. Parents ought to cultivate an intelligent sense of affectionate care. It was important to nurture the child in such a way as to enable him to acquire good qualities.

There was a tendency to tell the children too often what he should or should not do. "My own childhood days are very far off but I remember that I had an intense and consistent dislike to anybody giving me advice, even good advice, since such advice was largely hypocritical.'

"It is amazing how people believe in giving good advice. As a politician I may confess I am always giving good advice, but it is also a fact that in speaking high-sounding platitudes we excel everybody in the world. I am not saying that good advice becomes bad by repitition, but advice has the tendency to irritate" Pandit Nehru said.

CAREFUL TRAINING

The Prime Minister said he would rather deal with the turbulent child than with the submissive child. The submissive child "is all right but he will be submissive all his life." But it was only the turbulent child which had life and vitality and this was essential. Such children had to be trained very carefully.

"It is obvious that we have a great deal to learn about the upbringing of children. It is also obvious that the children of yesterday who have grown up are not proper specimens at all, the Prime Minister said.

Mrs. Urmila Mehta, President of the All India Women's Conference, welcomed the Prime Minister and gave an account of the activities of the Conference in respect of organising the "Children's Week".

The "Children's Week", which was earlier declared open by the Prime Minister contains exhibits from about 20 countries including U.S.A., U.K., Japan, China, Turkey, Thailand and Sweden. The exhibits show several aspects of child life and child education in those countries through models, charts, posters and other illustrative literature.

The Prime Minister was an interested spectator of a fantasy—a ballet entitled "Pinocchio"—made famous by Walt Disney performed by over fifty children, most of them under ten. The performance was a successful one and received good applause from the audience who were impressed by the histrionic talents of the children. The fantasy was organised and presented by the Indian National Theatre.

FRANKLY SPEAKING

One Bright Spot

The people of Anantapur are thrice blessed and materially very well off indeed. The Municipal Council of the town has decided to reduce taxation because, according to its chairman, there is a surplus in all accounts. By ending all leakages, introducing drastic retrenchment in expenditure and planning out its development schemes, it has effected great economies and improved its finances. Thus, the people of Anantapur are in the enviable position of enjoying better times. All over, the prospect is pretty gloomy and even if municipal bodies chance by accident to make a little money, the thought of passing the luck on to the long-suffering citizens rarely occurs to the people's representatives. Why, even the Government is in a position to learn much from the Anantapur council. We are not so ungracious as to overlook the periodic concessions allowed by the Income Tax authorities. But that is another story. In a country where everyone is fumbling where to begin economies, the example of Anantapur which has laid the axe judicially, stands out as a beacon-light.

Kings Without Domains

The Government of India's clarification that rulers of States which have been merged into other territory, should not be called ex-rulers, adds another anomaly to the many that survive in this country. The rulers have no territory and their titles which they will not be able for long to maintain in style, can only be a burden to them. Yet the dead hand of the past stretches out to bolster up a dying class, and that too in a society which seeks to become classless. There is a way out of the confusion: The rulers of ex-States might gracefully step down from their pedestals and surrender what they are entitled to under various agreements and covenants which bind the other side but need not restrain the rulers from doing what is right.

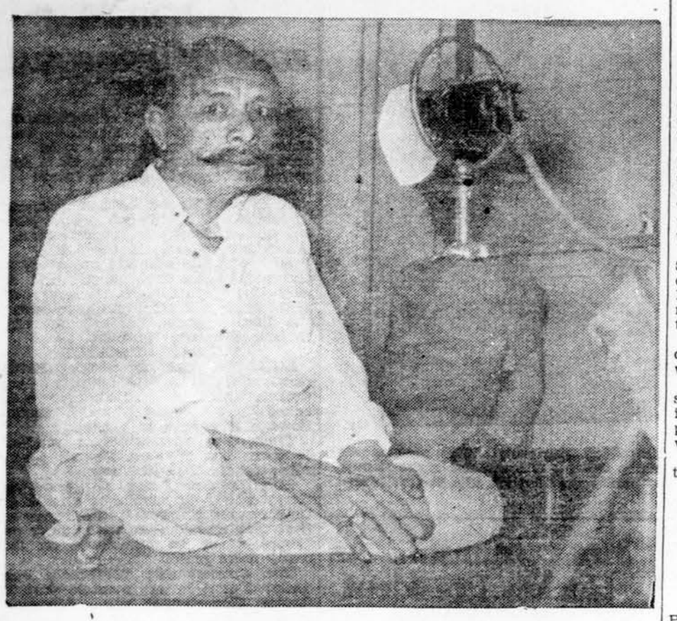
Folly In High Places

Statesmanship in France seems to have deserted French leaders completely. They have become remarkable for their inability to see and understand the obvious. And every where. It is shouted all over —and the French are no less loud and perturbed —that the gravest and most urgent crisis the world is facing is the challenge of the Communist world to the democratic world. France is in the democratic camp and is also actively participating —with U. S. assistance—in preparing to meet the challenge and save France from Communism. But France is not prepared to have Germans on equal terms in the military defence of Western Europe. The Germans argue, not without justice, that otherwise there would be no sense in incurring the wrath of the Communist camp especially when the Germans and their country will have to suffer most if trouble starts between the two camps. Moreover, Eastern Germans are already virtually militarised. So that it is the democratic West Germans who stand to lose most. By denying them equal rights and opportunities to defend Western Europe, France is grievously weakening the democratic camp as well as its own self.

Lack Of Realism

Elsewhere too, French leaders have lost all sense of statesmanship. They have yet to show imagination and foresight in the matter at issue between India and France. Retention of French settlements in India will not render their country any material service but losing the goodwill and friendship of India will do them very considerable harm. Right and justice are on the side of India. Why not come to an amicable settlement? Nor are the French pursuing the right course in the matter of relations with Indo-China. There is a conference going on at Pau between the French and the representatives of the three states. These representatives are their own friends. Yet there is trouble at the conference because these pro-French representatives too are dissatisfied with the deal offered to their country. A threat has been indirectely given that if the Pau conference fails, the French may withdraw their expeditionary force from Indo-China the result of which step would be the loss of Viet Nam's independence. True. But Viet Nam may well argue that the present deal means the continued loss of Viet Nam's independence to France. Why cannot it be realised that the Indo-Chinese want freedom and independence from both the Communists and French domination?

His Voice Is Hushed



Ustad Faiyaz Khan Dead

BARODA, Nov. 6 (PTI): Aftab-e-Mousiki Ustad Faiyaz Khan, the well-known exponent of classical Indian music, died here last night. He was aged 70 and had been ailing for some months.

One of the last, surviving giants of Indian music, Faiyaz Hussain Khan won acclaim from all who loved Indian classical music. Noted for his magnificent tonal qualities and his great volume, Faiyaz Khan's death is a blow to every Indian musicians A man of broad and progressive outlook, he was never above giving advice and encouragement to beginners in the line.

An Appreciation

Among musicians in India, the name of Faiyaz Khan is a fabulous one. One of the last survivors of the true "greats' of Indian music, Aftab Musiqi Khan Saheb Faiyaz Hussain Khan—to give him his full title—will be deeply mourned by all who have been enriched by his wonderful voice.

The possessor of a truly magnificent voice, rich full in volume, yet capable of the most subtle nuances of light and shade, Ustad Faiyaz Khan was a man who was not above giving the benefit of his knowledge and experience to newcomers in the musical line. The late Saigal the famous film star, was trained for some time at the hands of Ustad Faiyaz Khan.

In 1935, when both Faiyaz Khan and Saigal were at the Dayalabad Music Conference, the latter scored a great hit. The Ustad immediately went up to him and showered compliments on him. Though in a very poor state of health for some years past, Ustad Faiyaz Khan could not keep himself away for long from the musical world. Only a few months ago he made a series of records for His Master's Voice, four of which are still due to be released.

A man with a broad and progressive outlook, the late Ustad was in great demand at all the music conferences all over India for he was one of the few exponents of classical music who could view less highbrow music in a tolerant manner. In fact the master was quite at home with thumris and even ghazals.

With the advent of radio, Ustad Faiyaz Khan's voice reached all over the land, and we are sure that a host of lovers of Indian music throughout the country will join us in the sorrow we feel at the passing of this great old man.

Kripalani Warns Congress Parliamentary Board

LUDHIANA, Nov. 5 (PTI): Acharya J. B. Kripalani told a Congress workers meeting here if the Congress Parliamentary Board supported unprincipled people at the next general elections, "then we would have no hesitation in setting up rival candidates."

Mr. Kripalani explained he had formed the Democratic Front within the Congress to ensure that the next elections were held on democratic lines without any outside pressure.

He is on a week's visit to the Punjab.

Stop Press

WRECKED PLANE NOT YET WITHIN REACH

CHAMONIX, Savoy, Nov. 6 (PTI-Reuter).—Four guides and three Alpine soldiers reached the Grands Mulets shelter on Mont Blanc this afternoon—still over 5,000 feet below the wreck of the Indian airliner which crashed on the Peak on Friday. Led by Lieutenant Jay of the Military Mountaineering School here, the party had struggled across the glacier face in a climb of five and a half hours—in fine weather it normally takes two hours.

FRENCH RETREAT

ON THE SOUTHWESTERN TONKING FRONT, Indo-China, Nov. 6 (PTI-Reuter): French forces evacuating Hacbinh today slashed back through another fifteen miles of road on battle scarred route, Colonial Number Six to establish a new front-line in the ricefields, 20 miles south west of the Tonking Capital, Hanoi.

U. S. Aid Not Sought

NEPAL DENIES REPORTS

NEW DELHI, Nov. 6 (PTI): A spokesman of the Nepalese Embassy here today denied the report that Nepal had sought the assistance of the United States in dealing with the Tibetan situation. He said that while the Nepal Government was gravely concerned over the invasion of Tibet by the Chinese troops it could not take any unilateral action either in the diplomatic field or in other direction.

The spokesman said that in accordance with the provision in the recent Indo-Nepalese Treaty there must be mutual consultation between the two countries in regard to foreign affairs and defence. The spokesman indicated that any step that Nepal might take would only be after consultation with the Government of India.

The Nepal Government, it is understood, have appointed a new "vakil" as their representative in Lhasa. The latter has now reached Lhasa and will take up his duties almost immediately.

Under an old agreement between Tibet and Nepal, the latter has been receiving an annual token contribution of Rs. 10,000 from Tibet.

SEOUL: The Communist troops faced with a stiffening United Nations defence line in north-west Korea unexpectedly broke off contact tonight and retreated to the north.

The exact extent of the sudden withdrawal was not known by American Army officers who said they were puzzled by the reason for the Communist action.

The Communists broke off contact late in the evening after a strong counter-attack by the American Twentyfourth Division and recouped 1,200 yards of ground lost when North Koreans and Chinese swarmed in a heavy down attack.

BLACK TRADING IN JUTE

CALCUTTA, Nov 6 (PTI): The President of the Calcutta Jute Balers' Association Mr. Kedarnath Bajoria, today blamed the Central and the West Bengal Governments for the present "adverse condition" of the jute industry in the country.

Mr. Bajoria, who was addressing the annual general meeting of the Association, said that the Governments "have been misguided by the Indian Jute Mills Association in their jute and jute good policy resulting in loss of foreign exchange and ultimately demoralising the mind of the public to take recourse to black trading in jute."

A.P.C.C. Calls For Steps To Enforce Discipline

GUNTUR, Nov. 6 (PTI): The two-day Convention of Andhra Provincial Congress workers which concluded last night unanimously passed a resolution expressing deep concern over the "growing degeneration in Congress ranks" and demanded the taking of immediate steps to enforce discipline.

Mr. T. Prakasam, former Premier of Madras, presided.

Dealing with the food situation the Convention said that it was fast deteriorating due to " rampant corruption in procurement and distribution" and wanted the whole operation to be entrusted to co-operative societies. The Convention also favoured the removal of all controls.

PLEA FOR POPULAR REGIME IN PEPSU

PATIALA, Nov. 6 (PTI): The Working Committee of the PEPSU Akali Dal at its meeting held last night passed a resolution demanding establishment of "a popular government in PEPSU in order to ensure efficient administration and to stem the crime wave in certain districts of the Union."

The meeting set up a five-man committee to represent the PEPSU Akali Dal view-point at the meeting of the Working Committee of the Shiromani Akali Dal scheduled to be held at Amritsar on November 12.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

LONDON, Nov. 6 (PTI-Reuter).—The London Stock Exchange was unsettled by the news from Korea and showed widespread losses today. The volume of selling, however, was small but persistent and most marked in recent favourites.

Tins, rubbers and coppers moved lower on profit-taking but rubbers are additionally depressed by the increase in export duty on Malayan rubber. Tins received but little help from further increase in the price of the metal.

Sellings of British Government Stocks found gilt-edged market without support and the prices were weak. Losses of upto three-quarters were recorded but were out of proportion to the amount of selling.

Leading industrials followed the lead of the gilt-edged and were lower, where changed.

In the foreign section, Japanese issues were weak. Korean news brought in sellers and the prices fell by three points. Chinese and German loans were dull.

South African gold shares followed the prevailing trend and were dull.

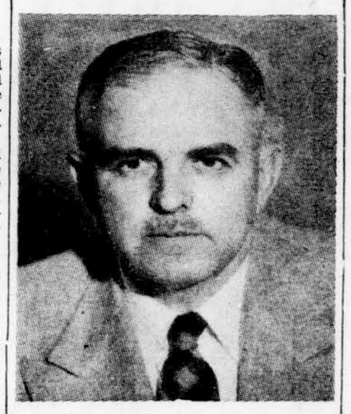
LATEST COMMERCIAL NEWS

NEW YORK COTTON MARCH

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.

Previous closing	40.12
Today's opening	40.13
Difference	+01
Today's closing	40.03
Difference	—09

NEW U.N. OFFICIAL



Major-General Nimmo, a distinguished Australian soldier, who will soon take up the post of senior United Nations adviser in Kashmir.

NO DIRECTIVE TO DELEGATION

KALIMPONG, Nov. 6 (PTI): Tsepon Shakabpa, leader of the Tibetan Delegation to Peking, said tonight that he had received no instruction from Lhasa so far, asking the delegation not to proceed to Peking.

Asked if he expected any fresh instruction from Lhasa he added: "I cannot say anything more at present."

REDS NEARING LHASA

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the past few months to carry on the campaign in favour of Kumbum Panchen Lama.

The Tibetan trader gave the following details of movements of Chinese and Tibetan Peoples Troops on the routes leading to Lhasa and Shigatse, the ancestral seat of Panchen Lama:

No exact date could be placed for the actual crossing either with the Chinese Army units or Tibetan Peoples Troops, but the first movement in the nature of invasion appeared to have taken place in late September when a column of Tibetan Peoples Troops and covering Chinese Army units advanced from Jyekundo towards Nagchuka, about 400 miles north-east of Lhasa. This column came first to Riwoche on the banks of River Drechu, north-east of south-eastern Tibetan fortress of Chamdo.

REARGUARD ARRANGED

This column left a rearguard to hold back any troops which might come out from the Chamdo garrison of about a division strength and proceed on its advance to Nagchuka. The exact date of this column passing through Nagchuka on the route to Lhasa was not available, but it was placed approximately around the first week of October. The distance between Jyekundo via Riwoche to Nagchuka is about 175 miles.

As this first column took the Nagchuka-Lhasa route, two columns—one from Jyekundo and another from Bataang in Sikang—move towards Chamdo. The Jyekundo column joined the rearguard of the first column at Riwoche, while the Bataang force came direct towards Chamdo.

REGROUPING

There was a regrouping of forces at Riwoche. The main body of this regrouped column forged ahead towards fortresses of Lhodzong, Pembadzong and Gyambadzong while a strong rearguard was left behind to lay Seibe to Chamdo garrison. This main column of Chinese and Tibetan Liberation troops captured Lhodzong on October 22. In the minor operation the Tibetan Government troops abandoned Sobado on October 28 and took possession Pembadzong fortress.

At this stage one-eyed General Liu Po-Cheng sent advance units of mixed Chinese and Tibetan troops on the direct route to Lhasa via Reting.

The main body was directed to tackle the fortresses of Pembadzong and Gyanda Dzong which were about 30 to 40 miles away from the main trade route from Shobado to Lhasa.

The garrison at Gyambadzong, 150 miles from Lhasa was virtually cut off.

The advance units which had by this time gone far ahead of this last strong-hold of Tibetan Government forces on the route to Lhasa. Gyambadzong was captured by Sino-Tibetan peoples troops on November 1.

As Gyambadzong fell, advance units were well on the way to Reting Monastery for the junction with the first column moving from Nagchuka. This first column had to meet with little resistance since they took the direct route on which they had to tackle three fortresses manned by a few hundred Tibetan Government troops.

Giving this review of Sino-Tibetan Peoples Troops' advance along Riwoche Lhasa and Nagchuka-Lhasa routes this Tibetan trader said he expected major regrouping of these forces at Reting "possibly sometimes today" for the final push to Lhasa.

TOWARDS ZAYUL

The trader said Bataang column after leaving a strong detachment to attack Chamdo from the rear pushed ahead to Zayul Gumpha which is near the Assam frontier. He could not give any details of this column's march towards Shigatese, the second city of Tibet except that Sino-Tibetan Peoples Troops were advancing along the banks of River Brahmaputra.

He added the advance towards Shigatse would at least take a month to cover a distance of about 500 miles across one of the steepest and marshy routes in Tibet altitudes ranging from 8,000 to about 18,000 feet. There also must be snowfalls and blizzards at this time of the year. He said if the rate of 15 miles march per day were kept up this column must have reached Chetang about 140 miles from Shigatse. Chetang is about 75 miles south-east of Lhasa.

Invasion forces appear to have been aided mostly by the fall of Chamdo which had great effect on the rest of the Tibetan Government forces who thereafter seem to have had no part in fighting the Sino-Tibetan Peoples Troops. There also appear to have been directions of Tibetan Government forces led by their officers who were reported to have reinforced advancing columns towards Lhasa.

Independent intelligence reports estimate the strength of combined Chinese and Tibetan Peoples "Liberation Troops" in the vicinity of about 70,000, divided into four columns. These forces include, sapper, supply and signal units.

There have been, however, no reports of tank movements or aerial bombing though supplies were stated to have been dropped by parachute to invading peoples troops.

NO REPLY FROM PEKING YET

NEW DELHI, Nov. 6 (PTI): The Government of India have not yet received a reply from Peking to their communication of October 30 and official sources here said they were unable to indicate the possible course of the diplomatic controversy between India and China over Tibet.

It is now a week since India handed over her second note to Peking in which. Among other things, it was pointed out that the Chinese military operations in Tibet had greatly added to the tensions of the world and the drift towards general war and that the Government of India had advised the Tibetan Delegation not to resume their journey to Peking "unless the Chinese Government think it fit to order their troops to halt their advance into Tibet and thus give a chance for peaceful negotiations."

The Government of India had also stated that certain Indian establishments including the Indian Mission in Lhasa and the small military escort stationed at Gyantse should continue.

DELHI'S SECOND NOTE

In the main, the Government of India's second note to Peking was in greater elaboration and detail of their first communication in which "surprise and regret" were expressed at the Chinese action.

The Chinese Government's reply is awaited but in the light of preliminary diplomatic discussions between the two Governments at Peking and New Delhi, it was generally known that China had adopted a "stiff attitude." There is also reason to believe that the Peking Government is not anxious for the continuance of India's limited establishments in Tibet and would prefer a re-examination of such rights which India had exercised based on usage and past agreements. Nevertheless the Government of India, pending an official reply from the Chinese Government and possible developments, had instructed the personnel of the Lhasa Mission and the agencies at Gyantse and Yatung to stay at their posts.

PEKING'S REQUEST

Official sources here were unable to confirm the reported Chinese request over the radio to the Indian Government for the evacuation of the small number of Indian troops stationed in Gyantse and Yatung. There was no reference to India in the English language broadcasts from Peking yesterday or this morning and it is not known whether this request was conveyed in any Chinese language broadcasts. However, in the absence of any official note from Peking, External Affairs Ministry sources here declined to comment on the reports.

It is understood that wireless communication with Lhasa is again normal. Another dispatch was received from the Indian representative today and was said to be of a routine nature.

BRITAIN SUPPORTS INDIA

LONDON, Nov. 6 (PTI-Reuter): Foreign Under Secretary, Ernest Davies told Parliament today that the British Government deplored the "resort to force" by the Chinese Government in Tibet.

Britain, he said, fully supported the stand taken by the Government of India.

Mr. Davies added, "The British Government have been and are continuing to be in consultation with other interested Governments on this issue.

CRITICISM OF GOVERNMENT NOT GOOD GROUND FOR ARREST

Assam Disturbances Enquiry Commission Chief's View

"IF people are arrested for criticising Government policy then there is an end of civil liberty in India, remarked Mr. Justice P. B. Mukherjee, President, Assam Disturbances Enquiry Commission.

SHILLONG, Nov. 6, (UPI).

Mr. Justice Mukherjee made this observation while examining Sri Ramani Kanta Bose, Secretary of the Refugee Association Dhubri, a witness, who produced before the Commission a notice of the Deputy Commissioner of Goalpara served on Sri Syama Charan Chakravarty pleader, to show cause why action should not be taken against him for defending accused in court charged with murder, looting, arson etc., and for criticizing Government in that process.

Another document was produced by Sri Bose showing that one bramachari was arrested for his complicity with the Muslims. Sri Bose added that many prominent Hindus, including himself, were arrested and he was bewildered as what to do and what not to do.

Mr. Justice Mukherjee said "Mr. Bose I do not blame you for being bewildered. I should myself have been bewildered if I would have been in the same position."

BAD BLOOD

In course of his evidence, Sri Bose disclosed that Muslims wanted five thanas of Goalpara to be included in Pakistan and created much mad blood between the communities. According to him about 70 persons both Hindus and Muslims, were killed in Goalparad during the last disturbances. He also said that the refugees did not take part in these disturbances as they had hardly settled down when they broke out.

Sri Bose in his evidence added that section of Muslims wanted five thanas, such as Mankachar, South Salmara, Dhubri, Bilashipara and Lakhipur, to be merged with Pakistan just on the eve of the partition and at the time for the Bagge Tribunal. He also said that local Muslims figured as accused among others on charges of plundering houses of immigrant Muslims in Goalakanj area during the last disturbance.

Replying to question by a member of the Commission, Sri Bose said that so far Goalpara was concerned Communists had no complicity in the disturbances.

In its third sitting today, the Commission called 18 witnesses and examined several of them, a majority in camera on their prayer. They gave evidence on incidents in different areas in Goalpara district.

CEYLONISING INDIAN ESTABLISHMENTS

Satisfactory Agreement Likely: Fears Allayed

COLOMBO, November 6 (PTI-Reuter): Indian sources here today expressed the hope that a "very satisfactory" agreement would be reached between Government and Indian employers on the question of "Ceylonising" Indian establishments in Colombo.

These sources were commenting on talks last week in this connection between a deputation representing the Indian Mercantile Chamber and various other Indian and Pakistani trade associations in Colombo and Ceylon's Minister of State Mr. A. E. Goonesinha.

Main obstacles in the way of a settlement was removed when Mr. Goonesinha withdrew his earlier proposal to employers to give "first preference" in future employment in Ceylon to Ceylonese nationals by birth over citizens by registeration, the sources said.

The Minister's subsequent assurances, firstly, that Indians employed at the time of the Indo-Ceylon talks (December 1947-October 1948) would not be effected by this policy and secondly, that citizens by descent and registration would enjoy same rights and privileges in future employment, has also helped to allay the fears of Indians that the Government's Ceylonisation policy was mainly designed "to oust Indians from this country," these sources added.

Sarvane's Expulsion

MADRAS, Nov. 6 (PTI): Mr. C. E. Bharatan, leader of the Pro-Merger Group of Mahe, said here today that the French National Assembly demanding expulsion of M. Lambert Sarvane from the Assembly was a "command performance which cannot bind the real representatives of the people of the settlements."

Mr. Bharatan was commenting on reports from Paris that certain Mayors of French India Assembly had submitted a memorandum demanding expulsion of M. Lambert Sarvane from the French National Assembly. M. Sarvane is expected to move a resolution in the Assembly urging direct transfer of the settlements to the Indian Union without a plebiscite.

CHANGE OF HEART

AMRITSAR, Nov. 6. (PTI): Seth Ramkrishna Dalmia, business magnate told a public meeting under forward bloc auspices that he was now committed to serving the poor.

"There was a time when I indulged in blackmarketing and amassed wealth by sucking the blood of the poor", Mr. Dalmia said addressing the meeting in Jalianwalabagh yesterday.

"But now I have resolved to serve the cause of the poor to remove their poverty and hunger"

Mr. Dalmia blamed the Congress leadership for blackmarketing and corruption in the country and appealed to the Prime Minister and Deputy Prime Minister to solve the country's food problem.

Mahad Division H. Q.

BOMBAY, Monday.

The Government of Bombay has decided to shift the headquarters of the Prant Officer, Mahad Division (Kolaba District) from Alibag to Mahad for administrative convenience.

NO RESCUE OF AIR CRASH VICTIMS YET

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Malik, is expected in Chamonix today.

Captain Jathar, first man to spot the wreck, said, "We saw the plane lying on the northwest ledge of Mont Blanc some 700 feet from the summit and very close to the 'Refuge De Valiot". The greater part of the Constellation is intact, but the nose and the tail have been broken off. The wings and the main fuselage appear relativey undamaged.

"We hope that there may possibly be some survivors, but we are not sure since we saw no sign of life."

NO SIGN OF LIFE

Mr. Frederich Herzig, Geneva Station Manager for Air-India International who was in the Dakota which spotted the wreck said the rescue plane had circled the Constellation five or six times, but had seen no sign of life.

"It is possible that there are some people alive in the main part of the fuselage", he said. "They have plenty of blankets to keep them warm. However, the fact that we saw nothing moving round the wreckage makes it appear unlikely that there are any survivors."

Mr. Herzig said the wreck was lying almost exactly on the Franco-Italian frontier, but appeared to be just on the Italian side. The tail of the plane was broken off and lying beside the fuselage——"almost tucked in beside the right wing."

Swiss Air said in a communique last night that fuel leaking from petrol anks had helped snow from burying the wreckage.

It said the air liner had apparently hit the mountain a glancing blow while trying to gain altitude.

Those on board the Swiss Air plane which sighted the wreckage said the constellation's silver wings and fuselage were plainly visible in the clear light along the clouds.

NEW DELHI-RANGOON AIR SERVICE

NEW DELHI, Nov. 6, (PTI): A new direct air service between the capitals of India and Burma was introduced today when a forty-seater luxury airliner took off from Delhi airport for a non-stop flight to Rangoon.

The flight is part of an express air service which B O A C are introducing through the capital cities of ten different countries on the 10,000 mile route between London and Tokyo.

The intermediate stops on this new service will be Rome, Cairo, Bahrein, Karachi, Delhi Rangoon, Bangkok and Hong Kong.

The Government of India have granted commercial rights for all points except Rangoon and Bangkok.

SCOUT AWARDS

NEW DELHI, Nov. 6, (PTI): Mr. Vyas Dev Misra, Scout Commissioner of Delhi, has been awarded the 'Silver Star', the second highest award of the Boy Scout movement, by Mr. Vivian Bose Chief Commissioner of India of the Boy Scouts Association.

The Chief Commissioner has also made the following awards: Thanks Badges to Messrs Rameshwar Dayal, R. K. Bhatnagar, Rup Lal, A. N. Ukhal and A. S. Bhatnagar; Medal of Merit to Mr. Dip Chand; and Long Service Medals to Messrs P. C. Blomfield, Chandra Kishore, D. P. Talwar, S. S. Ratra, Mohinder Singh, Jagat Singh, Raja Ram and Satya Prakash.

Post Offices To Sell Anti-TB Seals

NEW DELHI, Nov. 6.—At the request of the Tuberculosis Association of India, anti-TB seals will be sold by post offices all over the country. The seal, which is priced at one anna, will be on sale from today and will continue upto January 26, 1951.

The seals are also available in sheets, each sheet containing 35 seals for Rs. 2/3/-.

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Aggressive Batting By Indian Team

MERCHANT & MUSHTAQ ALI DEFY TOURISTS' ATTACK

103 Runs Behind, India Scores 148 For 1 In First "Test"

NEW DELHI, Nov. 6 (PTI)

INDIA batted magnificently in their second innings to wipe off the first innings deficit of 103 runs and lead the Commonwealth by 45 runs with nine wickets intact at the end of the third day's play today.

The pitch of the Ferozeshah Kotla grounds, on which little grass was allowed to remain, showed signs of wear today and had become dusty. Pace bowlers proved ineffective on it, but spinners got plenty of response.

India's opening batsmen, Vijay Merchant and Mushtaq Ali, gave her a splendid start. The Indore stylist hit the visitors' deadly spinners, Sonny Ramadhin and George Tribe, with an amazing degree of confidence that bordered on audacity. Ramadhin and Tribe, particularly the former, had never been hit like that before in this tour.

Vijay Merchant came very near his best form today and produced his exquisite late cuts often wth perfect timing off all bowlers.

The Commonwealth, continuing their first innings this morning at the total of 174 for six, were all out ten minutes after lunch, West Bengal's Nirode Ranjan Chowdhry claiming two wickets in six overs for thirtyone runs.

Bruce Dooland, who had come yesterday when his side was in a hopeless position with five wickets down for seventy-five runs, followed up his side-savings seventy-four-run partnership for the sixth wicket with George Emmett by hitting up an enterprising 108—his first century of the tour. Besides, he further consolidated the visitors' position with a ninety-two-run partnership for the seventh wicket with the dogged George Tribe.

India, going in to bat 103 runs behind, decided that aggression was the best policy under the circumstances. Merchant and Mushtaq Ali went for the bowling from the start and often took risks. While Merchant was cautious, Mushtaq Ali was in a do-or-die mood. He scored freely all round the wicket to collect a fast sixty-one in the total of ninety-six and, incidentally, provided the capacity crowd of thirty thousand with entertaining cricket for the first time in this match.

Merchant and Umrigar then came together. Umrigar batted more freely, and the pair remained unbeaten at close of play in spite of spirited bowling by Ramadhin and Tribe.

With Merchant still in, India's supporters hope for at least another two hundred runs in the second venture by close of play tomorrow, thus setting the visitors the task of making 245 runs on the fifth-day wicket.

MUSHTAQ ALI ..... delighted the Delhi crowd with a flashy and aggressive knock of 61 runs before being declared l.b.w. to Frankie Worrell in India's second venture in the First Test at Delhi.

SCORE BOARD

INDIA (First Innings)	169
COMMONWEALTH (First Innings)	272
INDIA (Second Innings)	
V. M. Merchant batting	48
Mushtaq Ali l.b.w. Worrell	61
P. Umrigar batting	25
Extras	14
Total (for 1 wkt.)	148

Fall of Wicket. 1 for 96.

BOWLING ANALYSIS

	O	M	R	W
Shackleton	2	0	8	0
Worrell	10	4	21	1
Ramadhin	16	6	30	0
Tribe	17	1	52	0
Dooland	8	0	23	0

MORRIS AND MILLER IN BIG STAND

New South Wales' Narrow Lead Against Queensland

SYDNEY, Nov. 6 (PTI-Reuter).

Inspite of a big second-wicket stand by test players left-hander Arthur Morris, 101, and Keith Miller, 63, New South Wales, Sheffield Shield holders, gained a first innings lead of only 13 runs against Queensland today.

New South Wales thirty-nine for one on Saturday, were all out for 229 in reply to Queensland's 216 and by the close Queensland had scored 69 for two in their second innings.

Morris and Miller thrashed the bowling to add 118 in ninety minutes before lunch. Total partnership realised 133 after which New South Wales collapsed on an easy wicket.

Don Tallon, Queensland's captain, made a brilliant catch to dismiss Morris. When C. Smith went on with the new ball at 196 Morris glanced a ball on the half volley to leg. Anticipating the stroke, Tallon threw himself backward and across to the leg side to take a right-handed catch while lying on his back.

In the Day's Sport

TABLE TENNIS

Vanmali Hall, Dadar

6-30 p.m. Second round of Men's Singles followed by quarter finals. (Pathare Shatriya Tourney)

M.C.C. Heading For A Draw

MELBOURNE, November 6 (PTI-Reuter).

After Trevor Bailey of Essex had taken five Victoria first innings wickets for 27 runs in an inspired spell, the M. C. C. lost the initiative in their match here and by the close Victoria were 283 for seven.

Victoria were replying to the M.C.C. score of 306 for nine. Bailey, working up plenty of pace and making the ball lift, claimed the first five wickets and when he got his fifth victim the Victoria score was only 89.

Then K. Howard, 125 not out, Ian Johnson 36, and Douglas King 75, saved the state with stands of 72 and 120 for the sixth and seventh wickets respectively.

Bailey, who finished the day with figures of five for 45, was in devastating form. Among his victims were 3 test players — Lindsay Hasett considered a certainty for the captaincy of Australia in the forthcoming tests, Neil Harvey, counted Australia's most brilliant young batsman, and Sam Loxton.

Batting honours for Victoria went to Howard, 27 year old right hand opening batsman, who kept his end up while wickets were falling fast and stayed till the end of the day. When he had been at the wicket five hours and a quarter for his unbeaten century.

He is a batsman of good style with a free swing in driving. He was ably assisted in the sixth wicket stand by Ian Johnson, and the pair added 72 runs in 91 minutes.

Then came King with a most entertaining innings. Enjoying some luck, he hit his 75 in 82 minutes, assisted by eleven fours.

Victoria's fine recovery brought them within 23 runs of the M. C. C. with three wickets in hand by the end of the day.

There is no play tomorrow, Melbourne Cup Day, and the match ends on Wednesday.

SCORE BOARD

M. C. C. (FIRST INNINGS) 306 FOR 9 DECL.

VICTORIA (First Innings)

Meuleman b Bailey	6
Harvey c Sheppard b Bailey	7
Loxton c Hutton b Bailey	4
Kerr c Close b Bailey	3
Ian Johnson run out	36
King c Berry b Close	75
Howard not out	125
MacDonald not out	1
Extras	7
Total (for 7 wkts.)	283
Hassett b Bailey	19

BOWLING ANALYSIS

	O.	M.	R.	W
Warr	20	2	69	0
Bailey	18	0	45	5
Hollies	19	1	87	0
Compton	1	0	2	0
Close	13	2	44	1
Berry	5	0	29	0

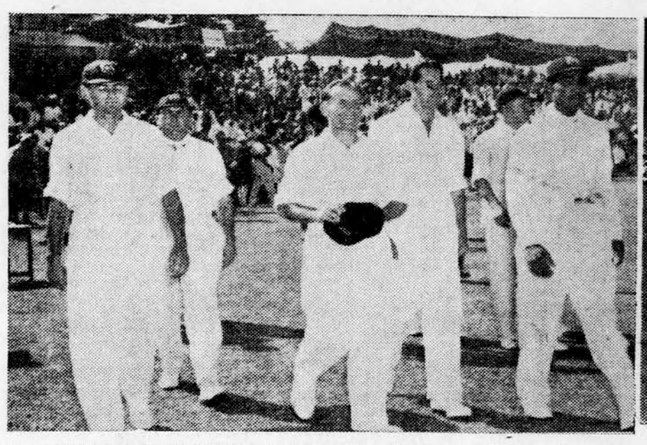
TOMMY FARR WEIGHS LESS

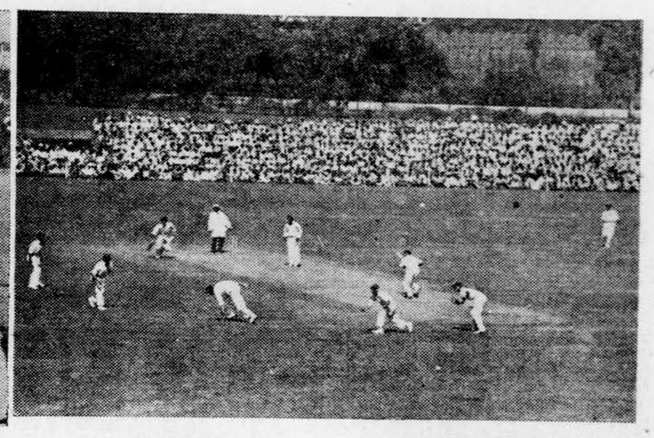
LEICESTER, November 6 (PTI-Reuter).

Tommy Farr, former British Heavyweight boxing champion, was 9-1/2 pounds lighter at the weight-in for his second "comeback" fight tonight against Piet Wilde, Belgian champion.

Farr scaled 196 pounds and Wilde 205 and a half pounds.

FIRST TEST AT WILLINGDON GROUNDS, DELHI





The First Test match between India and a Commonwealth XI is now in an interesting position with India fighting back gloriously. The picture on the left shows the Commonwealth acting skipper Frankie Worrell (extreme right) leading his side in to field, while the picture on the right shows Polly Umrigar place a ball from Worrell on the leg side past Ikin. In the background can be seen a part of the capacity crowd that fills the Willingdon Grounds during the Test.

Rangers Club Boxing

DORMER-WILLMER CLOSE AFFAIR

Willmer's Splendid Display Against Britisher

(By Our Boxing Correspondent)

BOMBAY, Monday.

CHARLIE Dormer, the British amateur lightweight was given the verdict in a rather touch and go six round contest against Ron Willmer of Rangers and India at the Sixteenth Rangers Club Invitation Boxing Championships held at the Brabourne Stadium this evening.

The moment the fight was over shouts of joy, especially for Ron Willmer, filled the air but the blue light signalled a victory for Charlie Dormer. Indeed, the decision was a disputed one, but truly it was doubtful. This was anyone's fight and in awarding Dormer the fight and the Hansraj Thakker Silver Belt one and all were treated to a splendid fight, with the honours resting on India's Willmer.

Charlie Dormer, short and stocky like the "Hollywood Mickey Rooney" looked every bit a fighter. He was rather quick and flashy, but he missed his mark and failed to score far too often. Willmer though heavier and taller failed to put any pep into his sluggers, otherwise there would have been another story to send across the seas.

FIRST ROUND

Dormer completely takes things easy sizing up his opponent Wilmer. Nothing very spectacular, but Dormer pretty quick. Dormer led with rights to face then he slammed in a couple of right-lefts. Willmer connects a body blow. Then, Dormer retaliates with rights to Ron's head. Willmer had him in the corner, but Dormer came out of it with a right to Ron's head. A rather tame first round.

SECOND ROUND

Charlie Dormer still had the initiative and keeps up a steady barrage of punches. He scored with rights and lefts, but nothing out of the ordinary. He missed often, but caught Willmer, with the return flight of his hand. Willmer tried to come on to the attacking side, but his blows were not getting their mark. An even round.

THIRD ROUND

The third round saw Willmer slowly come out with his punches, but he mainly struck body blows. He did connect a couple of head blows, but Dormer retaliated with light ones to his face. Willmer definitely on top. He used his weight and was finding his punches. He should have used his right instead of just smacking with his right. This was WILLMER'S ROUND.

FOURTH ROUND

Neither boxer seemed to relax at all. Willmer was striking with boly blows, which began to tell their tale. Dormer thrown into the defensive. Willmer sends home a few rights and a left jab to Dormer's face, then Dormer just pushes Willmer back hardly touching him. His own scoring points were loose ones at Willmer's body:— WILLMER'S ROUND.

FIFTH ROUND

Willmer rushed right into Dormer sent him a straight right to the face, failed to follow up. Dormer just backed back and adjusted guard. He then let out a right and left to Willmer's face. He scored. Willmer was aggressive and soon dealt two body blows. Then, Dormer was in the corner and Willmer had him at his mercy, but failed to take advantage. Dormer kept pushing with both fists, Willmer unable to strike out. WILLMER'S ROUND.

SIXTH AND LAST ROUND

The last round saw both boxers charge wildly at one end, serving no useful purpose. Each had a few jabs at their body's, but without effect. Dormer then sent Willmer two good rights and Willmer punched back with a good right. He nibbled in with a left, but Dormer was not slow and struck back. THE ROUND EVEN.

The evening started off with a close fight. Mane rather cool watched closely for the openings and after Barko had dished away a couple of loose ones, he was forced to lean on Mane to save something of good beating. Barco, however, proved to be equal to the occasion and just lost on points narrowly.

Quite a laugh was caused when stocky and well built V. Dias of the Dockyard looking somewhat "Lou Costello" like was unable to give Havildar Kelkar a fight and the referee had to stop the fight in the first round practically after about 45 seconds.

A second quick verdict was recorded with S. Lalji of the BEST getting R. Julian of St. Peter High School knocked out in the opening round. Lalji is pretty fast both in his punches and on his feet and though Julian tried to retaliate, he was of no match. Soon afterwards A. Sequira of Dadar knocked out Rudy Adams of Rangers. H. Ferrier staged a remarkable recovery to knock out Ken Arnold in the second round.

Might midget Sam Jadhav won another good fight this time his victim was J. Ashton of C.C. High School.

Two close fights were staged with the appearance of the one hand Marolia and Aaron on and Gene Vandergucht and Nessim on the other hand. In both cases the winners Aaron and Vandergucht were completely at sea in the initial round, but staged remarkable recoveries to claim their fights.

Policeman Janardan took Navyman Sharma out for a ducking when he had him well beaten particularly in the second and third rounds. When he had Sharma down for counts of 9 in the second and four and five in the third.

That "knock-out king" had the fight of his career till now. He received a punishment in the early round from Kothare, and actually went down for a count of five, but staged a remarkable recovery to said Kothare down to the canvas for a count of 7 and 8 in the second round. The bell saved Kothare. It looked as if the "knock out king" was going to achieve his ambition and maintain his string of knock out successes when Kothare was thrice floored in the third for counts of 9, 8 and 8. But lasted out and courage enabled him to stand on his feet and fight a losing battle. It was a truly memorable fight.

The following were the results:—

G. L. Mane 127 lbs. (N.N.H.) beat P. Barko 131 lbs. (Dadar B. C.) on points.

Havildar Kelkar 112 lbs. (Police) beat V. Dias 116 lbs. (Dockyard) on a T.K.O. in the first round. The referee stopping the fight.

S. Lalji 105 lbs. (B.E.S.T.) beat R. Julian 109 lbs. (St. Peters) on a knock out in the first round.

Sam Jadhav 48 lbs. (Rangers) beat J. Ashton 53 lbs. (C.C.H.S.) on points.

M. Aaron 126 lbs. (Maccabi) beat T. Marolia 125 lbs. (Z.P.C.L.) on points.

A. Sequeira 116 lbs. (Dadar) beat Rudy Adams 116 lbs. (Rangers) on a knock out in the first round.

Michael Carvalho 142 lbs. (Dockyard) beat Slk. Mech. V. Long 140 lbs. (Navy) on points.

Gene Vandergucht 122 lbs. (Rangers) beat M. Nissim 125 lbs. (Maccabi) on points.

Havildar Janardan 135 lbs. Police beat Petty Officer Sharma 131 lbs. (Navy) on points.

H. Ferrier 148 lbs. (B.E.S.T.) beat Ken Arnold 147 lbs. (Rangers) on a knock out in the second round.

P. Khatau 113 lbs. (Petits) beat E. Kothare 112 lbs. (Rangers) on points.

INTERNATIONAL BOUT (Six rounds)

CHARLIE DORMER 138 lbs. (Senior St. B. C. ENGLAND) beat Ron Willmer 141 lbs. (Rangers—INDIA) on points.

FIGHT A

HYDERABAD Y. M. C. A. TABLE TENNIS

HYDERABAD, (Dn), Nov. 6. (PTI): Miss A. Rukmani of Madras and Miss Toorkey of Hyderabad qualified tonight to meet Miss Sultana (Hyderabad) and Miss C. Madan (Bengal) in the womens doubles final of the Y. M. C. A. Table Tennis Tournament.

The following were the results of matches played tonight:

MEN'S SINGLES (Quarter Finals): Kishen Prashad beat Altaf Ali 21-17, 9-21 12-21, 21-9, 21-19; Sikandar Ali beat Abdur Rahim 21-19, 21-16, 22-20.

MIXED DOUBLES (Quarter Finals): Miss A. Rukmani and K. V. Krishnamurthy beat Miss P. Shaw and Kishen Pershad 21-19, 21-9, 21-18; Miss C. Madan and K. Jayant w.o. Miss Nalini and B. K. Harinath.

WOMEN'S DOUBLES (Semi Final): Miss Sultana and Miss Madan beat Miss Nalini and Miss P. Shaw 21-10, 21-10, 21-19; Miss A. Rukmani and Miss Toorkey beat Miss U. Shah and Miss Sambah 21-12 20-22, 22-20, 21-17.

Bikaner Club Win Soccer Cup At Ajmer

AJMER, Nov. 6 (PTI).

The West Rajasthan Club of Bikaner annexed the Ogilvie Football Cup by defeating Saint Mary's Club, Poona, by two goals to nil in the final yesterday.

Mrs. Munshi As Hockey President

DELHI WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION

NEW DELHI, Nov. 6. (PTI).

A Delhi Women's Hockey Association has been formed with Mrs. Lilavati Munshi as President. The Association has been affiliated to the All-India Women's Hockey Association.

PATHARE SHATRIYA TABLE TENNIS

Seeded Players Triumph

BOMBAY, Monday.

Seeded players V. Ranganath and M. Srinivas scored easy victories over K. S. Khot and V. L. Bhainbarkar respectively, in the Pathare Shatriya Table Tennis Tournament now being played at the Vanmali Hall, Dadar.

The following were the results.

MEN'S SINGLES: J. M. Lopez beat P. A. Karai 14-21, 21-18, 21-15; V. Ranganath beat K. S. Khot 21-4, 21-14, M. Srinivas beat V. L. Bhainbarkar 21-11, 21-9.

JULLUNDUR BEAT FEROZEPUR

LUDHIANA, Nov. 6. (PTI).

The District Hockey Association, Jullundur beat today the District Hockey Association Ferozepur by two goals to nil in the Silver Jubilee Hockey Championship.

HOCKEY SEASON STARTS ON NOV. 18

Teams For Various Divisions Announced

BOMBAY, Monday.

NEWS that Bombay's hockey season is definitely going to come off will certainly brighten the hearts of all Bombay's hockey enthusiasts. The season is due to commence on November 18 with two matches in the first division being played off at the Cooperage.

The Senior Division will commence on Sunday, November 19 with Bombay City "A" playing Dockyard "A" at 3-45 p. m. while last years champions Lusitanians "A" will play the runners up G.I.P. Railway in the second game commencing at 4-45 p. m.

All matches in the senior and First divisions will be played at the Cooperage, while the Parsi Cyclists and Bombay Gymkhana grounds will be utilized for the second divisions.

The Third Division has this year been handed over to the Parel Sports Club and will be run off at the College Ground, most probably after the 25th of November.

The following are the teams entered for the various divisions.

SENIOR DIVISION:— Lusitanions "A" G. I. P. Rly. "A" Tata Sports "A", B. B. & C. I. "A", Bombay City "A", Young Sports "A", Dockyard "A", Goans Sports "A" St. Xaviers College "A", Times of India "A"

FIRST DIVISION SECTION "A": Bombay Port Trust "A", B. B. & C. I. "B", Catholic Gymkhana, B.E.S.T., St. Xavier's Association Panchgani H. S. O. "B", Young Comrades "A" St. Xavier's College "B".

SECTION "B":— Indian Navy G. I. P. Rly. "B", Greater Bombay Police, V. J. T. Institute, Bombay Gymkhana, Lusitanian's "B" Goans Sports "B", Boys Own Club.

SECOND DIVISION SECTION "A" Black Spiders, Blue Wizards "A" Dolphin Sports Club, O. C. S. Recreation Club, Dreamland. S.C., Bombay City "B" Young Sports "B", and I. C. I.

SECTION "B" Dockyard "B" General Motors, Bombay Port Trust "B", Khatau Sports, Mazagaon Docks, Lever "A", Reserve Bank and Ruia College.

THIRD DIVISION SECTION "A": G. I. P. Rly. "C", Telephone Club, Ordnance S. C., Lever Sports "B", H. I. Dixon, Sports Club, R. C. & I. S., Indian Hotels, Carriage and Loco (G.I.P. Rly.), St. Xavier's College "C" B. I. G. Insurance S. C.

SECTION "B":— Chartered Bank, National Bank, Cathedral old Boys, Metal Box, Avery Club, Goans "C", Th. Cook's Sports Kuria Spartans, Blue Wizards "B" G. I. P. Rly "D".

HARVEY BENEFITS BY A "FREAK"

Bails Go Up And Settle Back In Groove

LONDON, Nov. 5 (PTI-Reuter).

An interesting cricket technicality has been raised by an incident in which Neil Harvey, the Australian Test left-hander, enjoyed a remarkable escape from dismissal.

Playing in a district game near Melbourne, Harvey was clean bowled but was not out as the bails landed back on the stumps. He had scored seventeen when a fast bowler hit his middle stump. Both bails flew into the air but fell back into their grooves on the stumps.

Harvey had started for the pavilion but the umpire recalled him saying that he was not out.

At one time the wicket was held to be down if even one bail was disturbed. When the laws were revised three years ago, law then read that either bail must be completely removed from the top of the stumps for the wicket to be down.

Such an extraordinary happening as in Harvey's case must be a matter for the umpire's discretion pending a definite ruling on such an event.

In this instance he ruled "not out" as the bails were still on the stumps when the incident finished. A case could also be made for an "out" decision on the ground that the bails obviously were removed completely, but by a freak fell back into their original positions.

In any event, apart from the letter of the law, the bowler obviously deserved a wicket and it is profoundly to be hoped that such an incident never occurs in the tense atmosphere of a Test match.

Deyro And Carmona Win Doubles Title

KARACHI, November 5, (PTI): Philippine's Davis Cup players Raymundo Deyro and Cesar Carmona won the men's double title in the Pakistan Lawn Tennis championships today.

Future Of Germany

RUSSIAN PROPOSAL SUPPORTED

PARIS, Nov. 6 (PTI-Reuter).—French newspapers suggested today that the Western powers should accept the Russian proposal for a four-power conference over the future of Germany.

'Aube', the organ of the Popular Republican Movement of which Foreign Minister, Robert Schuman, is a member, said it is the duty of France and the allies to use every occasion to learn more about and discuss Soviet intentions. However disappointing such attempts have been in the past, it would not help to refuse to talk with the Russians.

BRITISH REACTION

LONDON.—This morning's British press adopted, in the main, a cautious attitude to Russia's note which called for a meeting of the Council of Foreign Ministers on Germany.

There was, nevertheless, a tendency to warn the Western Powers against rejecting the Russian note.

The "London Times" suggested that the Western Governments should ask for more information from Moscow and that they should then make their own proposals for an agreement on Germany more plain.

The Conservative "Yorkshire Post" declared that it was possible that the Rusian Government was "genuinely anxious" to reach a setlement on the German problem, but stressed that if the Western powers negotiated with Russia they must do so in the knowledge that the negotiations may come to nothing.

WORLD HAS 250-M STARVING CHILDREN

UNESCO Report

LONDON, Nov. 6 (PTI-Reuter): The world has 250 million starving children, the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organisation (UNESCO) reported here today.

In Europe, sixty million children in 12 different countries are in need of help, mainly as a result of the war, it added.

UNESCO experts have these figures in a report which recommended the maximum national and international efforts to make up the physical and spiritual deficiencies of war—handicapped children. The experts had spent two and a half years of study in Europe.

The report said a break-up of family life was a major factor in the increase of juvenile crime during and after the war. Boys, the experts reported, tended to take to thieving while girls became prostitutes.

"The bloodier aspects of war may have permanently influenced young people," the report said. "They develop an increasing disregard for property rights."

One-third of all the children in Germany were without fathers. In Finland one child in 24 was a war orphan.

The total of displaced children, the report said, is believed to be "some millions."

The problem of the children arose from the fact that during the war 30 million people were displaced and of these 18 million were cast out of their own countries.

WORKERS PLIGHT IN IRAN

Delegate's Charges At I.L.O. Meeting

GENEVA (ILO News Service): The report of an International Labour Office mission which investigated labour conditions in the oil industry in Iran was both attacked and defended today in a debate at a plenary sitting of the ILO's Petroleum Committee.

Worker, employer and government delegates of 14 major petroleum-producing countries are attending the session.

Rahkhoda Zamani, Iranian worker delegate, opened the debate, charging that oil workers trying to organise were being dismissed, that martial law existed in some oil fields, and that the ILO mission failed to show sufficient interest in his union while studying "ghost" unions.

He remarked on the absence of worker delegates from Venezuela and Iraq and expressed concern over his own safety when he got home.

GOVERNMENT'S DEFENCE

Said Naghavi government delegate, declared that Mr. Zamani had no reason to "be afraid for his life" but, on the contrary, he wished for him many more years in which to gain experience and responsibility. He said that he agreed with the recommendations made by the ILO mission and that a good start had been made on many of them. He realised that there was room for improvement but said the Government would not relax its efforts.

Mr. Naghavi said that it would have been better if the report had given more detailed information about what still needs to be done and about plans for dealing with these problems.

Rome Goes Without Newspapers

ROME, Nov. 6 (PTI-Reuter): Rome was without newspapers today as newsboys and newsagents went on strike to enforce their demands for a bigger percentage on newspaper sales and a weekly day off.

It was the second strike in months of negotiations by newspaper sellers with the newspapers under Government arbitration.

The Gujerati version of the Indian Constitution has been completed and forwarded to the Parliament Secretariat, it is learnt. The Translation Committee had altogether 35 sittings at Ahmedabad to complete the work.

EARLY DROP ATTRACTS BUYERS FOR STEELS

Active Demand For Swadeshi Mill Shares

BOMBAY, Nov. 6.

The Bombay Stock Exchange opened quiet but improved few points on short covering at the rise there was scattered liquidation. The market displayed good tone. There was increased activity in Bombay Burma Shares while Swadeshi Mill shares were in good demand.

Today being settlement, bulls were making attempts to keep up the price level and now the market will remain closed until Moorat business on Thursday.

Tata Steel Defds. opened at Rs 1757-8 and improved at Rs. 1763-12 and quitetened at Rs. 1761. Ordinary shares opened at Rs. 338 steadied at Rs. 339, Indian Irons opened at Rs. 30-13 and improved at Rs. 30-15. Bengal Steels opened at Rs. 20-14 and advanced at Rs. 21-3.

Bombay Deyings opened at Rs. 961 and after improving at Rs. 965 and steadied at Rs. 961, Kohinoor opened at Rs. 316 and improved at Rs. 317, Swadeshi Mill shares opened at Rs. 289 and advanced at Rs. 295 Nagpur shares opened at Rs. 249 and improved at Rs. 250.

Bombay Burmas opened at Rs. 490 and after declining at Rs. 481 advanced at Rs. 490, Scindia shares were placed at Rs. 13-13.

Later on there was increased buying support and Tata Steel Defds. advanced at Rs. 1770 and steadied at Rs. 1766-4. Bombay Dyeings were done at Rs. 965 while Svadeshi mill shares hardened at Rs. 299 and Nagpurs were done at Rs. 252-8.

Towards the close the market ruled steady and Tata Steel Defds. were quoted at Rs. 1771-4 and Ordinary shares were done at Rs. 341. Svadeshi shares were placed at Rs. 297 and Associated Cements were done at Rs. 172. Closing tone of the market was steady.

FORWARD SECTION

MILL SHARES			
Bombay Dyeing (7-8) ..	966	4	0
Kohinoor Mills (6) ..	318	4	0
Swadeshi Mills (14)	297	0	0
Central India Mills (6) ..	252	8	0
Simplex Mills (1 1)	260	0	0
New Great Eastern (3-2) ..	167	0	0
Indore	106	8	0
Gokak (11)	246	8	0
Century Spinning (6)	260	10	0
India Bleaching (8)	178	8	0
Swan (20)	342	0	0
Finlay Mills (15)	265	0	0
Morarji (4-8)	165	0	0
Edward (15)	265	0	0
Meyer (12) XD	81	4	0
Apollo Mills (As. 4)	3	2	6
India United Ord. (0-12-6)	13	1	0
India United Defd. (0-2-0)	1	15	0
Madhusudan (16)	156	4	0
Podar (9)	137	8	0
Khatau (5)	176	4	0
STEELS			
Tata Steel Ord. (16) XD	341	0	0
Tata Steel Defd. (79-5) XD	1770	0	0
Tata Steel 2nd Pref. (7-8)	140	0	0
CEMENT			
Associated Cement (7)	172	8	
INDUSTRIES			
Burma (12-8)	488	12	
Belapur (8-6-0)	274	8	
Shivrajpur (18)	47	4	
Scindia Steam	14	0	
Premier Construction (4)	109	0	
Tata Chemical	13	9	
Tata Oil (1)	41	12	
Indian Iron (6-12-0)	31	3	
Bengal Steel (9-12-0)	21	6	
British India Corp. (3-9)	8	14	
India Copper	2-13-6		
Wimc (11)	241	4	
Alcock (28-2)	328	12	
ELECTRIC SHARES			
Tata Hydro (3)	158	0	
Tata Power (25)	1627	8	
Andhra Valley (30)	1472	8	

CASH SECTION

COTTON MILLS			
Elphinstone (5)	59	0	
Phoenix (6)	115	0	
Indian Mfg (40)	3350	0	
Kurla (7 8)	107	8	
Colaba (6)	87	8	
New City (11)	180	0	
Minerva (12)'	136	4	
Bharucha	4	12	
Bradbury	453	12	
Bharat (2)	27	0	
Mysore Defd (4) XD	150	0	
Madhavji (0-12-0)	13	4	
Model Mills (12-8)	153	12	
Lakshmi Cotton (25)	597	4	
Vishnu Cotton (6)	207	8	
Western India (40)	3005	0	
Standard (15)	240	0	
Sholapur (200)	3060	0	
Sassoon Cotton Mills (0-8-0)	25	0	
Hindustan Mills (40) XD	3410	0	
Tata Mills (2-4)	50	0	
Ahmedabad Advance (9)	220	0	
Sassoon Silk (2-10) XD	34	6	
New Union Mills (0-8)	23	4	
Madhusudan S (2-8)	32	0	
Shrinivas Mills (12-8)	190	0	
Raja Bahadur (4)	60	0	
Berar	260	0	
Victoria Mills	225	0	
ELECTRIC (CASH)			
Ahmedabad Electric (1-8)	114	6	
Ahmedabad New XD	112	8	
Surat Electric (5)	138	2	
Karachi Electric (2)	127	8	
Broach (0-5)	6	2	
Ajmer Electricity (0-8)	10	4	
Amalgamated (0-12)	11	10	
Nagpur Electricity (1-12)	27	0	
Poona Electric Supply (5-2)	126	4	
Bombay Suburban (3)	139	6	
Jaigaon	10	10	
BANK SHARES			
Imperial Bank of India (40)	1985	0	
Imperial Bank P (10)	491	8	
Central Bank P (10)	82	0	
Central Bank New (1-8)	82	0	
Bank of India (4)	176	12	
Union (0-5)	7	0	
Baroda (2-8)	131	0	
Devkaran Nanjee Bank (1-8)	32	8	
United Commercial (1-8)	45	8	
Jaipur Bank (1-8)	27	0	
Hindustan Commercial	22	8	
Mysore Bank (8)	365	0	
Eastern Bank (-14-9)	82	0	
INSURANCE SHARES			
Oriental (125)	4960	0	
Empire (10)	615	0	
New India (2)	66	4	
Jupiter (0-12)	12	12	
Vulcan (0-10)	12	8	
B.I.C.	16	5	
Industrial and Prudential	28	4	
Neptune	7	0	
New Great	18	4	
All India General	8	0	

RAILWAY SHARES			
G. P. (1-14) XD	112	0	
MISCELLANEOUS SHARES			
Steam (10)	247	8	
Bombay Burma New (5)	157	8	
Burma Petrol	1	8	9
Port Canning (3)	51	12	
Mackenzie (6)	90	0	
Kemp and Co. (30)	342	8	
Zandu Pharmacy (7)	94	8	
Industrial Invest Trust (3-12)	83	0	
Dharamsey Chemical (4)	62	0	
Mukund Iron	5	0	
Dena Trust (0-12)	12	0	
Alembic (15)	125	0	
Supreme Industries	84	0	
Bombay Uganda	65	8	
Indian Cement (1937)	20	12	
Walchand Nagar Industries (15)	165	0	
United Motor	28	0	
Bombay Safe Deposit (27)	785	0	
Hydary Construction	19	2	6
Mahamadi Steam	100	0	
Gujerat Motor	26	0	
Sardar Carbonic XD	750	0	
Harvey Press	310	0	
Estrella Batteries	37	0	
National Rayon	68	0	
Bombay Cycle	34	0	
Jost Co.	76	0	
Digvijay Cement	70	0	
PREFERENCE SHARES			
Tata Steel 1st (6) XD	195	0	
Andhra Valley (7)	1267	8	
Tata Power (7-8)	1372	8	
Hydro-Electric (7) XD	135	0	
Bombay Steamer (6)	230	0	
Central India (5)	632	8	
Swadeshi Mills	130	0	
Vishnu Mills (7)	675	0	
Laxmi	275	0	
New Great Mills (5-8)	215	0	
Podar Mills (4)	95	0	
Shrinivas Mills	98	0	
Elphinstone Mills (7)	107	8	
Bradbury Mills (7-8)	345	0	
Surat Electricity (3-4)	133	12	
Pre Construction First	102	0	
Pre Construction 2nd Pref.	100	0	
Amalgamated	115	0	
Habib	72	0	
Tata Chemical	135	0	
Walchandnagar	126	4	
Jupiter	12	15	
Supreme	100	0	
Meyer	95	0	
Mackenzie (first)	92	0	
Mackenzie (2)	85	0	
Ahmedabad Advance	127	8	
Mysore Mill	41	0	
Standard	99	0	
Madhusudan	12	0	
Khatau	98	0	
Morarji	94	8	
National Rayon	80	0	
DEBENTURES			
Andhra 1952	101	4	
Rubber Planting			
Bombay Steamer	98	14	
Indian Hume Pipe	101	0	
Tata Power 1951	101	0	
Walchandnagar (6)	106	0	
OUTSIDE SHARES			
Burma Corporation	2	15	6
New Victoria Mill	1	14	
New Victoria Pref	3	12	
Phalton (8)	127	8	
Gold Mohor (20)	315	0	
New Kaisari Hind	300	0	
Sajjan Mills	100	0	
Osmansnani	115	0	
Ajam Shahi	110	0	
Air Services	4	0	
Air India Tata	69	0	
Hind Motor	5	15	
Walchand Motor	55	0	
India Steam	7	6	6
Tata Locomotive	97	12	
Killick Industries	132	8	

INDIAN STOCK EXCHANGE

BOMBAY Nov. 6.

Tata Ordinary	341	0	6
Tata Deferred	1773	12	0
Indian Iron	31	3	0
Steel Corpn. of Bengal	21	6	0
Bombay Dyeing	966	8	0
Central India	252	8	0
Gokak	246	8	0
Kohinoor	318	3	0
Simplex	260	0	0
Swadeshi	297	0	0
Tata Power	1627	8	0
Associated Cement	172	4	0
Belapur	274	8	0
Bombay Burma (Old)	488	12	0
Scindia	14	0	0
Swadeshi	297	0	0
Central Bank	32	0	0
New India	66	4	0
Tata 2nd Pref.	140	0	0

Art Silk Yarn

BOMBAY, Nov. 6.

120 Ready Japan	7	4	0
150 Ready Japan	7	5	0
120 Ready Italy	6	15	0
150 Ready Italy	6	15	0
2/40 Staple Nov.	1520		

GOLD AND SILVER

BOMBAY, Nov. 6.

The local bullion market was quietly steady and there being shortage of gold stocks, ready quotations were quoted at a premium. Silver position remains quiet.

At the opening forward silver was placed at Rs. 176-4 and after declining at Rs. 176 improved at Rs. 176-8. Ready silver was quoted at Rs. 176.

Forward gold opened at Rs. 106-8 and after declining at Rs. 106-2 advanced at Rs. 106-12 increased covering and scarcity of offerings. Ready mint gold was quoted at a premium of annas ten at Rs. 107-6 and Sovereigns were quoted at Rs. 74-8.

Later on there was increased buying and closing quotations were as under:—

Ready Silver	176	4	0
Forward	176	12	0
Ready Gold	107	13	0
Forward	107	5	0

PRODUCE MARKET

BOMBAY, Nov. 6.

GROUNDNUTS			
Khandesh Quality New.. Rs.	40	6	0
November	40	6	0
Madras	40	0	0
Bold Ready	39	4	0
Bold December	39	4	0
Bold January	39	5	0
Oil Bombay Mills	21	12	0
Oil Railway Receipts	21	3	0
Oil November	21	4	0
Oil December	21	3	0
LINSEED			
Bold Ready	41	6	0
Ready Satna	39	14	0
November	41	8	0
December	41	6	0
Oil	21	0	0
CASTORSEEDS			
Ready	36	12	0
November	36	12	0
December	36	0	0
Oil First Pressure	20	0	0
Oil Bazar quality	19	0	0

GOVERNMENT LOANS

BOMBAY, Nov. 6.

2-1/2% 1954	98	14	0
2-1/2% 1955	99	1	0
2-1/2% 1961	96	12	0
2-3/4% 1960	99	1	0
2-3/4% 1962	98	13	0
3% 1970	95	8	0
3 per cent 1955 Con.	95	14	0
3% 1951/54	101	2	0
3% 1953/55	101	8	0
3% 1957	101	2	0
3% 1959/61	100	8	0
3% 1963/65	99	6	0
3% 1961	99	8	0
3% 1966/68	99	4	0
3% 1970/75	98	15	0
3-1/2% 1954/59	104	0	0
4-1/2% 1955/60	109	6	0
4% 1958/68	112	4	0
PROVINCIAL LOANS			
2% Bombay 1962	99	3	0
3% Bombay 1960	88	7	0
2-3/4% U.P. 1961	96	14	0
2-3/4 U.P. 1961	96	14	0
3-3/4% Madras 1961	96	14	0
3% Bombay 1961	96	14	0
3% Bombay 1955	100	12	0
3% Bombay 1958	100	12	0
3% Punjab 1952	102	0	0
3% Madras 1952/53 ..	100	8	0
3% U.P. 1952	100	8	0
3% C.P. 1952	100	8	0
3% N.W.F. 1952	100	0	0
3% U.P. 1961/66	99	2	0
MUNICIPAL			
3-1/4% 1977	98	12	0
4% B.P.I.	108	8	0
4% B. Municipality	109	4	0
5% B. Municipality	113	0	0
5% B. Municipality 1954 ..	112	0	0

Ahmedabad Share Market

(From Our Correspondent.)

AHMEDABAD, Nov. 6.

Ahmedabad Stock Exchange closing quotations: Calico 294-4 (XD), Ambika 339, Arvind 795, Defd 1,772, New Shorok 583, Aryospinning 340, Marsden 140, Monogram 135, Saraspur 288, Arun 375, Raipur 765, Lal 118-12, Assok 379, Atul 2, Anil Starch 320, Aryospining 340, Vivekanand 153-12, Shorok 282.

Calico opened 291-8, High 294-8, Low 291-4, Closed 294-4. Ambika opened 335, High 340-8, Low 334-8, closed 339. Arvind opened 796, Low 787 Closed 795, Defd opened 7,160, High 1,723, Low 1,758, Closed 1,772. New Shorok opened 580, High 585, Low 579, Closed 583.

Payment rates are as follows: Calico 294, Ambika 340, Arvind 795, Defd 1,770 New Shorok 585, Saraspur 290.

Market tone was strong. Defd was privately quoted at 1788-8.

NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.

Opening gains under the leadership of current crop months reflected mill buying against textile operations and pre-Bureau short covering, which disclosed limited hedges. Some buying was undoubtedly influenced by the disclosure that the Government was virtually out of cotton business as a result of the disposal of most of its C.C.C. 1948 stocks as well as unfavourable weather in the northern portions on the belt, which impeded picking. The market subsequently fluctuated erratically with evening up prior to the Government Report dominating dealings, although early upturn attracted hedge pressure. Liquidation of nearbys encountered less persistent trade demand and the market eased sharply, while profit-taking in far distants cancelled part of the earlier gains, the session finally closing barely steady.

December	40.23—09	
March	40.12—06	
May	39.75—08	
July	39.33+03	
October	35.89+14	
N. Y. Spot	41.18—07	

MONEY MARKET

BOMBAY, Nov. 6

B. C. Rates T. T. D D 1/5 15/16 Ready

B. C. Rates T. T. D D 1/5 29/32 up to 6 Months

London Banks Selling T. T. D. D 1/5 31/32 Ready.

London Banks Selling T. T. D. D 1/5 15/16 up to 6 Months.

London Banks Buying T. T. 1/6 1/32 to 9th Month.

London Banks Buying T.T. 1/6 1/16 10th-12th Month.

London Banks Buying D.D. 1/6 1/16 to 4th Month

London Banks Buying D.D. 1/6 3/32 5th and 6th Month.

London Banks Buying D. D. 1/6 1/8 7th-9th Month.

London Banks Buying 60 and 90d/st 1/6 1/8 to 4th Month.

London Banks Buying 60 and 90 d/st 1/6 5/32 5th and 6th Month.

London Banks buying 60 and 90d/st 1/6 3/16 7th-9th Month

London Banks Buying 120 d/st 1/6 5/32 to 4th Month

London Banks Buying 120 d st 1/6 3/16 5th and 6th Month

London Banks Buying 120 d/st 1/6 7/32 7th-9th Month.

New York B C Rate T T Rs 478 1/4 Montreal Rs. 459.

Banks Selling T. T. D D. Rs. 477 1/2 Montreal Rs 458 1/4.

Banks Buying T. T Rs 475 Montreal Rs. 450.

Banks Buying D D. Rs 472 1/2 Montreal Rs. 447 3/4.

Banks Buying D D Rs 473 3/4 L/C Montreal Rs. 448 1/2.

Paris Banks Selling T. T. Fcs. 7250. Paris Banks Buying T. T. Fcs. 7500

Amsterdam Banks Selling T. T D Fl 79.

Switzerland Banks Selling T. T D D Fcs 90 1/4

Belgium Banks Selling T T. D D Fcs. 1033.

Java Banks Selling T. T. D D Glds 79

Hongkong Banks Selling T T. D D Rs. 83 1/4

Singapore Banks Selling T.T. D D Rs. 157

Manila Banks Selling T. T D D Rs. 238 3/4

New York/London Cross Rate dol 2.79 7/8 to 2.80 1/8 London/Afghanistan Cross Rate/Afghani Rs not quoted London/Alexandria Cross Rate Pia 97 1/4-3/4 London/Amsterdam Cross Rate Fl 10.63-65 London-Bangkok Cross Rate Fcs 139.90-140.10 London/Denmark Cross Rate Kr. 19 32-36 London/Hong Kong Cross Rate 1/2 27/32-1/2 15/16 London/Iran Cross Rate Rl 89.40/91.00 London/Java Cross Rate Fl 10.63-65 London/Karachi Cross Rate 2/1.84-2/1.94 London/Lisbon Cross Rate Es 80.30 London/Manila Cross Rate Pes. 5.60-65 London/Montreal Cross Rate dol. 2.92 3/4 2.93 1/4 London/New York Cross Rate dol. 2.79 1/8-2.80 1/8 London/Oslo Cross Rate Kr 19.98-20.02 London/Paris Cross Rate Fcs 979-981 London/Prague Cross Rate K not quoted London/Singapore Cross Rate 2/4 1/16-2/4 3/16 London/Stockholm Cross Rate Kr 14/47-50 London/Switzerland Cross Rate Fcs. 12.23 12.26

London Discts 3 Mos 11/16 p.c

London Discts 6 Mos 7/8 p.c

Reserve Bank Rate 3 per cent

Bank of England Rate 2 per cent

Money: Call 1/2 per cent, 3 Mos 1 per cent 6 Mos 1-1/4 per cent 12 Mos 1 1/2 per cent

Tone: Easy

Record Of Actual Transactions In Shares

BOMBAY, Nov. 6.

MILLS.—
Apollo 3/2 3/1 3/3 3/2/6
Bharat 27
B. Dyeing 961/4 67/8 62/8 67/8 66/4
Bradbury Ord. 453/12
C. India 248 52/8
Century 260 60/10
Finlay 265 67 66/8
Gokak 245 46/8
I.U. Defd 1/14/6 1/15
I U. Ord 12/9/6 13/1
Indore 108/2 8/12
Khatau 176/4
Kohinoor 315/8 20 18/8
New City 180
Madhusudan 156/4
Meyer 81/4 82/8
New Great 167
Podar 138/12 37/8
Simplex 258 56/8 60
Svadeshi 289 99/8 96/8 97
Tata Mills 51 51/4
Vishnu 207/8
Scindia 13/11 14/1/6 14

BANKS:—
Central 81/12 82
Central New 81/8 82
Imperial Old 1985
Imperial New 492/8 91/4
India 177 76/8 76/12
Union 7/1
National Saving 24
U. Commercial 45

ELECTRICS:—
Ahmedabad 115 14/6
Andhra 1467/8 72/8
Andhra Pref 1267/8
Hydro 158/8 59 58
Hydro Pref 135
Power 1630 27/8 35 27/8
New India 66/4 66/8 66/4
Vulcan 12/3

STEELS:—
B Steel 21/2 21/6
I Iron 30/15 31/3
Tata Defd 1760 65 62/8 72/8 70
Tata Ord. 337/8 41
Tata 2nd Pref 140/12 40

MISCELLANEOUS:—
Alcock 325/10 25 28/12
A.C.C. 171/8 71/12 71/8 72/4
Belapur 272/8 72 75 74/8
B.B. Old 487/8 81/4 92/8 88/12
B.B. New 157/8 58/12 57/8
B.B. Petrol 1/8 1/7/9 1/8/3
B.I.C. 8/15 8/14/6 8/15
I. Bleaching 174/8
I.I. Trust 83
I. Copper 2/12/9 2/13/6
P. Const. 107 7/8 6/8 9/4 9
Shivrajpur 47/8 48 47/4
Tata Chem. 13/7 13/9
Tata Oil 41/8 41/12
Walchandanagar 165
Wimco 240/10 41/4

SPECIAL:—
Alembic Chem. Ord. 123/12 24/6 22/8

PRICES CLOSE BETTER

Calcutta Stock Exchange

CALCUTTA, Nov. 6 (PTI): Slightly better feeling was noticed in the more speculative stocks today due to renewed buying and prices closed better while other sections remained quiet but steady. The following are today's final transactions upto 3-00 p.m.

Govt Securities: Three per cent loan 1986 95|13 S. Odd Lot, Three per cent loan 1957 10|2, Three per cent loan 1964 99|10, S. Lot, Three per cent loan 1970|75, 98|11 S. Lot.

Banks: Calcutta National 6|8, Hindusthan Mercantile 21|8.

Cottons: Cawnpore textiles 9|14, New Victoria Ordy 2|-.

Coals: Burrakur 13-15, Central India 5|1, New Bansdeopur 6|-, Raneegunge 8|2, Sendra 18|12, Standard 22|10, Talcher 2|7.

Jutes: Anglo India 301, Barnagore 246|-, Budge Budge 228|-, Chitavalsah 28|14 G, India 187|-, Howrah 36|2, Northbrook 19|-, Nuddea 82|-, Reliance 25|8.

Engineerings: Bhartia Electric Steel 19|4, Indian Iron 29|15, Jessop and Co. 18|12, Kumardhubi Eng. 7|3, Marshalls 8|12, Steel Corpn 21-8, Cum Div.

Miscellaneous: Burma Corpn 3|1, Consolidated Tin 1|8, Indian Copper 2|14 Assam Bengal Cement 7|14, Dalmia Cement Ordy 5|4, Sone Valley Cement 6|10, Angelo Bros 29|12, Bic 8|15, Calcutta Trams 21|9, Indian Aluminium 143|8, S. O. Lot, India Cable 59|10, Metal Corpn 5|3, National Insulated Cable 11|4, British Burma Petrol 1|10, Orient Paper 44|4, Shree Gopal Paper 12|5, Titaghur Paper 28|4, Assam Saws 8|5, India Steamship 7|6.

Teas: Darjeeling Tea and Chinchona 121|-, Dauracherra 7|14, Ethelbari 11|12, Hattikhira 15|2, New Teral 14|2, Soom 11|8, Ex Div.

Cheques Cleared

Cheques delivered through the Bombay Bankers' Clearing House during the week ending the 3rd November, 1950 were as under:

Number of Cheques: 189896

Amount of Cheques: Rs. 55,55,84,016-15-10.

Index Numbers Of Security Prices

(Base: 1938 = 100)
ALL INDIA

Group and Sub-group	Week Ended			
	29-10-49	30-9-50	21-10-50	28-10 50
Govt. and Semi-Govt. Securities.				
Govt. of India loans ..	101.16	100.48	100.36	100.33
Indian States loans ..	98.81	98.75	98.75	98.75
Municipal, Port Trust & Improvement Trust loans ..	97.23	96.80	96.80	96.80
GROUP INDEX	101.02	100.36	100.25	100.21
Fixed Dividend Industrial Securities				
Electricity ..	81.7	82.5	83.0	83.2
Cotton ..	151.4	146.5	146.7	145.9
Jute ..	90.5	92.8	92.6	92.4
Coal ..	106.1	103.3	103.0	102.1
Iron & Steel ..	88.6	90.1	90.1	90.3
Sugar ..	105.5	107.6	107.7	107.8
Paper ..	89.2	95.6	95.6	95.6
Plantations ..	107.5	109.3	108.3	108.8
GROUP INDEX	99.89	100.75	100.67	100.67
Variable Dividend Industrial Securities				
Banks ..	119.7	125.2	124.2	124.0
Insurance ..	122.7	125.4	125.0	124.8
Investment Trusts ..	169.5	158.3	162.4	164.3
Electricity Companies and Tramways	85.4	89.6	90.1	90.9
Shipping and Other Transport Companies ..	96.9	92.6	92.7	92.0
Railways ..	90.3	94.3	94.5	94.4
Plantations ..	121.8	150.1	149.2	149.0
Cotton, Woollen and Silk ..	147.8	154.9	153.9	154.5
Jute ..	77.2	95.1	96.1	96.9
Coal ..	111.1	123.3	124.2	125.2
Mining & Oil ..	64.8	69.7	73.7	73.5
Iron & Steel ..	134.1	156.9	151.5	153.2
General Engineering ..	160.5	180.0	179.7	180.5
Sugar ..	112.9	88.6	88.6	88.8
Breweries ..	112.4	100.7	101.2	101.8
Chemicals ..	159.9	169.8	169.1	170.2
Paper ..	102.4	107.5	108.2	109.2
Cement ..	114.7	137.4	139.1	139.8
GROUP INDEX ..	114.45	123.84	124.17	124.60
REGIONAL				
Region and Group				
BOMBAY				
Govt. and Semi-Govt. Securities ..	100.64	99.64	99.56	99.55
Fixed Dividend Industrials ..	97.0	98.9	99.1	99.3
Variable Dividend Industrials ..	126.9	137.6	137.0	137.4
CALCUTTA				
Govt. and Semi-Govt. Securities	101.25	100.75	100.65	100.61
Fixed Dividend Industrials ..	102.0	101.0	101.0	100.6
Variable Dividend Industrials ..	105.6	112.2	112 9	113.4
MADRAS				
Govt. and Semi-Govt. Securities ..	101.16	100.63	100.47	100.42
Fixed Dividend Industrials ..	114.1	116.0	115.0	115.4
Variable Dividend Industrials ..	136.3	151.6	150.6	150.3

DYES & CHEMICALS

BOMBAY, Nov. 6.

SAPTHOLS			
CAS ..	8	4	0
CGS ..	11	0	0
CBO ..	13	0	0
CSW ..	14	4	0
CSG ..	18	0	0
Fast Scarlet CKRC Base	10	0	0
Fast Scarlet CKR Base	10	8	0
Fast Red CKGR Base	11	12	0
Fast Red CB Base	14	4	0
Fast Carnet CKGBC Base	5	8	0
Fast Yellow CGC Base	7	8	0
Fast Corinth CB Base	8	12	0
Orange CKGR Base	10	0	0
Fast Organge CGC Base	11	0	0
Fast Bordea CGP Base	15	8	0
Fast Blue CB Base	15	8	0
Fast Scarlet CG Base	7	0	0
Fast Red CCL Base	10	0	0
Fast Bordeaux CGP Salt	4	1	0
Fast Blue CB Salt	7	2	0
Fast Blue CBB Salt	21	0	0
Fast Scarlet CKR Salt	5	0	0
Fast Violet CB Salt	16	8	0
DIRECT COLOURS			
Direct Black Extra ..	5	0	0
Direct Yellow 5G ..	11	0	0
Direct Sky Blue Extra ..	10	0	0
Diazo Black Extra ..	5	0	0
Crysophonine G Extra ..	13	0	0
Benzopurpurine 4B ..	6	12	0
Tarquoise Blue G	15	0	0
Delta Purpurine 5B Conc	8	0	0
Congo Red H Dark (56)	4	0	0
SULPHUR COLOURS			
Sulphur Black 692	3	4	0
Sulphur Black HK Grains	3	2	0
Sulphur Black GBO	2	5	0
Sulphur Black Calco	2	12	0
Alizarine 20% Paste	165	0	0
Alizarine 100% Powder	8	0	0
ACID BASIC & OTHERS			
Methylene Blue Extra ..	7	0	0
Metanil Yellow Elephant	2	8	0
Metanil Yellow Extra	4	4	0
Punkaj Mangenta MCK Lumps	7	8	0
Magenta Extra G	9	0	0
Diamond Green	8	4	0
Bismark Brown Extra	4	8	0
Melachite Green Crys.	8	4	0
Auramine Extra	8	4	0
Acid Orange Extra	2	12	0
Acid Scarlet	3	12	0
Kumkum Scarlet	6	8	0
Rhodamine B Extra 500%	18	0	0
VAT FAST DYES			
Vat Blue GCEN	37	0	0
Vat Blue RSN	38	0	0
Vat Dark Blue BO	39	0	0
Vat Bilt Green B900	32	0	0
Vat Bilt Green B3200	120	0	0
Vat Bilt Green B Highly Conc.	75	0	0
Vat Green B Paste	19	0	0
Vat Red Violet RH	45	0	0
Vat Yellow GC	42	0	0
Vat Violet 2R & 4H	54	0	0
Vat Black BB	30	0	0
Vat Pink R	65	0	0
PRINTING COLOURS			
Printosol O	15	0	0
Printosol CG 4B	29	8	0
Printosol Blue IBC	63	0	0
Printosol Green IB	80	0	0
Golden Yellow IGK	75	0	0

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Nehru At Children's Home

Prime Minister Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru visited the Remand Home for Children on Monday at Umerkhadi. He was very much impressed by the training imparted at the home.

ENHANCE REPUTATION OF INDIA

Nehru's Plea To Juvenile Children

BOMBAY, Monday.

THE Prime Ministetr, Shri Jawaharlal Nehru, advised the juvenile children of Bombay today to remember that they were all children of Bharat Desh, and therefore, they should not do anything which should give discredit to the fair name of this great country but rather do things which would enhance the reputation of India.

The Prime Minister, who paid a visit to the Umerkhadi Children Home, Bombay this afternoon was very much impressed by the training imparted to children in the home.

Posing, a question, why you have all come here? the Prime Minister replied himself and said that it was not that you liked this home but you had done something bad which brought you to this remand home.

"Now that you have come here", The Prime Minister continued, "you should avail of the various opportunities provided to you in this home so that when you go out of this home you can be useful citizens of this country."

Asking the children not to be afraid of the environments and the people in the home the Prime Minister assured them that "they are all your well-wishers and sympathisers and are interested in your welfare."

EFFORTS COMMENDED

The Prime Minister commended the efforts of the social workers who were running the home and said that "they are all rendering noble service to the cause of children."

Concluding, Pandit Nehru expressed the hope that with proper training and care these fortunate children would be turned into useful citizens of this country.

Earlier, the Prime Minister was conducted round the home by Shri Morarji Desai, Home Minister of Bombay, who explained to him the working of the home.

The children who were visibly moved by the visit of the Prime Minister gave a very hearty welcome and a lusty cheer to him as he went round their wards. The Prime Minister also inspected the guard of honour provided by the children of the home.

As soon as the Prime Minister stepped out of the home, enthusiastic crowds who had lined up on both sides of the route through which he was to pass gave a rousing reception to him and rent the sky with shouts of "Pandit Nehru-ki Jai". The Prime Minister acknowledged the greetings of the crowd with folded hands.

Future Of Morocco

MARSEILLES, Nov. 6 (PTI-Reuter). The Sultan of Morocco, Sidi Mohamed Ben Youssef, sailed for Casablanca last night in a French cruiser after a month's stay in France including a state visit of a week.

The official purpose of the Sultan's visit was to discuss with the French Government future reforms in the protectorate.

Shri Jawaharlal Henceforth

NEW DELHI, Nov. 6 (UPI).—All Ministries have been instructed by the Prime Minister's secretariat that in future the Prime Minister should be refered to as "Shri Jawaharlal Nehru" and not as "Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru."

It is said use of titles which denote caste or community or so-called aristocratic birth would be against the Constitution.

According to the preamble of the Constitution, it should secure to all its citizens "fraternity assuring the dignity of the individual and the unity of the nation.' If this fraternity is to be secured, it is desirable that there should be one common form of addressing all citizens.

It will be recalled the Prime Minister has already instructed A.I.R. to refer him as "Jawaharlal Nehru" without any appellation.

U. S. S. R. REVOLUTION ANNIVERSARY

Nehru's Greetings

NEW DELHI, Nov. 6: The following messages have been exchanged between the Prime Minister, Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru and His Excellency Generalissimo J. V. Stalin, Chairman of the Council of Ministers, U.S.S.R., on the occasion of the anniversary of the October Revolution which falls on November 7:

From the Prime Minister:

"It gives me great pleasure to convey to Your Excellency and the Government and people of the U.S.S.R., the cordial greetings and good wishes of the Government and people of India on the occasion of the thirty-third anniversary of the October Revolution. We are confident that the friendship between India and the Soviet Union will further the cause of world peace."

Generalissimo Stalin's reply:

"I request you, Mr. Prime Minister to accept my gratitude for your cordial congratulations and good wishes on the occasion of the thirty-third anniversary of the October Revolution."

Fails To End Life: Imprisoned

AHMEDABAD, Nov. 6. (PTI): Mangaldas Ratilal, twenty-five-year old Christian youth, escaped unhurt as a train ran over him but was sentenced here today to six months' R.I. on a charge of attempted suicide.

"I wanted to escape from the pangs of three days hunger," Ratilal told the Magistrate. "I wanted to take my life"

Help Me, Or I Quit

BOMBAY, Monday.

A man aged 25, shabbily dressed, shouted: "Come to my help or I will commit suicide" just as Pandit Nehru was getting down from the rostrum after addressing a gathering at the Dr. Balabhai Nanavati Hospital, Vile Parle this morning.

Pandit Nehru, who was taken by surprise, quietly replied: "You can do whatever you like. I cannot come to your help."

The man was carried away from the auditorium before he could cause more confusion.

The man's identity or the nature of help he was seeking from Pandit Nehru could not be ascertained as the man could not be found on the premises five minutes later.

Opening the Hospital, Pandit Nehru stressed the importance of building more hospitals in congested cities like Bombay.

A Versatile Artist

TRIBUTES TO BERNARD SHAW

BOMBAY, Monday.

Speakers at a Memorial Session held this evening at the city Town Hall in honour of Mr. George Bernard Shaw, paid tributes to his great services to mankind as a man of letters, as a philosopher and as a journalist and critic

The Memorial Session which was held under the joint auspices of the Bombay Branch Royal Asiatic Society and the British Council in India was presided over by Rt. Rev. Dr. William Q. Lash, the Lord Bishop of Bombay.

Mr. A. A. Duguid of the British Council in India, speaking of Shaw as a man of letters, said that while Shakespeare threw the beauty of his poetry around him, Shaw threw the vigour of his prose. By his invaluable contribution to the realm of English literature, Shaw would not only outlive his own generation, but even the next generation, he added

The speaker said that the unique trait of Shaw's personality was that he could reach and understand the hearts of the common people.

Prof. Armado Menezes, referring to Shaw as a philosopher, called him a versatile artist, with a serious message to deliver to mankind, who could only be compared to Plato. He strove hard to wake up man from the slumber of false ideas and dogmas to "a sense of facts". Towards achieving this end, Shaw had to wage a war against time-honoured traditions and ideas, the Professor said. He summed up Shaw's creed as "creative evolution."

Mr. Frank Moraes observed that as a journalist, Shaw was essentially a human being and his greatest contribution was that he gave thinking "a twist". He was noted for his independence of opinion and complete disregard for the value of money as a journalist, he pointed out.

4 CALCUTTA BANKS APPROVE MERGER

CALCUTTA, Nov. 6. (PTI): The scheme for the amalgamation of four Calcutta banks namely, the Comilla Banking Corporation, the Comilla Banking Union, the Bengal Central Bank and the Hooghly Bank, was passed by the extraordinary general meetings of the share holders of these banks held in Calcutta yesterday.

Out of the total paid value of the shares of the four banks of Rs. 2,63,71,535/-, the amalgamated bank, to be known as the United Bank of India will have a paid up share capital of Rs. 2,63,38,135/-.

The scheme, as approved by the share holders of the respective banks, is now being forwarded to the Reserve Bank of India and the proposed amalgamated bank is expected to function as soon as the Reserve Bank formally sanctions the scheme.

Pak Footballers In Iraq On Invitation

BAGHDAD, Nov. 5 (PTI-Reuter): Twentyone Pakistani footballers representing Pakistan Sports clubs arrived here today. They had been invited by the Iraqi Royal Sporting Club. They meet the Iraqi Royal Bodyguard team tomorrow.

COMMON DEFENCE AGAINST REDS

Truman's Plea To Free Nations Of The World

INDEPENDENCE (Missouri) Nov. 6, (PTI-Reuter).

PRESIDENT Truman, in a speech prepared for delivery here today, said the victory over Communist aggression in Korea was "evidence that the free nations will not let Communist imperialism to swallow up free peoples one by one.

Accepting a Liberty Bell which the people of Annecy (France) presented to the people of Independence, his home town, the President declared it symbolised the freedom for which the people of France, the United States and other free nations were fighting against the threat of Communist domination.

Describing the Communist threat as "a continuing menace to world peace" the President declared the free nations must oppose strength with strength and build up common defences against Communist aggression.

"Today, France and many other free nations are joined with us to work for peace based on freedom and justice", he said.

ENEMY OF FREEDOM

"The nations and people who believe in freedom face a bitter enemy. We are meeting that threat in the only way it can be met—by building up the combined strength of the free world. The free nations must stand together and help one another if freedom is to survive."

Mr. Truman declared the United States and most of the other countries of the world stood for the settlement of differences among nations by peaceful means.

"But there are some nations in the world who have not been willing to have it that way", he asserted.

"The leaders of Communist imperialism have chosen to follow the path of aggression. Through threats and through the use of force, they are seeking to impose their will upon peoples all over the world.

"So long as they persist in that course, the free nations have but one choice if they are to remain free. They must oppose strength with strength.

"The determination of the free nations to pool their strength against aggression has been shown in Korea" Mr. Truman continued.

"Korea is proof that freedom can survive if the peoples who cherish it stand together. The common victory against aggression in Korea is evidence that the free nations will not let Communist imperialism swallow up free peoples one by one.

The President declared that the common defence of free nations was more than a military matter.

'It is also a matter of building up economic strength and upholding spiritual values", he said.

"We have given of our resources and our aid, in this time of stress and peril, to other members who believe in freedom as we do."

Some of this aid had gone to France" and to the people of Annecy who made this bell" as a "symbol of the great fellowship of freedom", the President said.

Sympathetic Treatment Assured To D. P.s

BOMBAY, Monday.

The Prime Minister, Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, today assured a deputation of the Sind Hindu Seva Samiti, Bombay which waited on him at Government House, that he would sympathitically consider their various demands and difficulties set out in the memorandum.

The Prime Minister invited the members of the deputation to meet him at Delhi when he would be able to spare some time for them and listen to their grievances.

The deputation, which was led by Shri Nanik G. Motwane, General Secretary Sind Hindu Seva Samiti, Bombay, submitted a ten-point memorandum to the Prime Minister, outlining the various grievances and difficulties of displaced persons.

King George Unwell

LONDON, Nov. 6 (PTI-Reuter).—King George Sixth was today suffering from slight rheumatism but was carrying out normal duties at Buckingham Palace, it was learned.

Sabotage Not Ruled Out

DEVASTATING FIRE AT HAMPSHIRE

ALDERSHOT, Hampshire, Nov. 6 (PTI-Reuter): Military Intelligence and Home Office officials were reported yesterday to be investigating a fire which destroyed 85 vehicles, an army workshop, stores and assembly shops in this garrison town yesterday.

The possibility of sabotage has not been ruled out. Many of the destroyed vehicles were bound for Korea. Spare engines and parts of army tanks were also lost.

Damage was variously reported tonight between 5,00,000 and one million sterling.

The fire started in a small store and in a few moments a terrific explosion rocked houses a quarter of a mile away.

More than one hundred troops helped firemen, who came from all over the country of Hampshire to fight the blaze, which took seven hours to control. Small fires continued to burn throughout the night.

The destroyed cover an area of about 450 feet by 250 feet and are some of the largest in the area

Only three or four civilian workers were on duty in the workshops when the blaze started.

About half of the employees will help today to clear up and to carry on in buildings saved from the fire.

An official said that the remainder would be put on paid leave until things were settled or other jobs found for them.

Soldiers, who patrolled inside and outside the workshop boundaries with rifles and fixed bayonets will remain on duty until the investigations are completed.

ISRAELI GUARDS SHOT DEAD TWO KIDS

Arab Member's Allegation

AMMAN, (Jordan), Nov. 5, (PTI-Reuter): The Arab member of the Palestine Armistice Commission today issued a press statement alleging that an Israeli border patrol west of Jerusalem had shot dead two Arab children and wounded a third.

The children were watering brushwood about 200 yards within the Jordan-held side of the demarcation line in the area of the Dab-el-Wad "bottle neck when they were rounded up by 12 Israeli soldiers, according to the statement

After crossing into Israeli-held territory the patrol fired seven sten gun shots killing a 12-year-old boy and a girl aged eight. It was alleged another girl who escaped was wounded in the leg.

Jordan's delegation at Lake Success is to submit to the Security Council a list of 180 alleged violations of armistice terms by Israel, it was authoritatively learned here.

Jap Overseas Agencies In India

NEW DELHI Nov. 6. (PTI): The Government of India have, it is learnt, agreed to the establishment of Japanese Overseas Agencies in New Delhi, Calcutta and Bombay.

The agencies will deal with both commercial and consular functions, but will have no consular status.

Mr. Morisaburo Seki, Chief of the Delhi Branch of the Agency, is arriving here tomorrow with Messers. Eiichi Limura and Motsu Ogiso Assistant representatives. The Bombay and Calcutta offices are also expected to be set up almost immediately.

Towels Instead Of Books

MADRAS, Nov. 6 (PTI): Five hundred hostel students of a city college went to their classes this morning with soap-boxes, towels and tooth brushes instead of books to register their protest against the failure of water supply in the hostel.

The water supply in the hostel had broken down completely for the past three days.

Other students of the college also joined their hostel friends and struck work for the day.

The principal of the college later stated that a new pump was being installed to restore the water supply.

ACCEPT SOVIET PROPOSAL

Radhakrishnan's Plea For Big Four Meeting

PARIS, Nov. 6. (PTI-Reuter): Dr. Saravapalli Radhakrishnan Indian Ambassador to Russia, said here today he hoped the Western Powers would accept Russia's proposal for a Big Four meeting.

"The Russians seem to be on a plain, conciliatory mood and I don't see any reason why they should not be taken at their word and some settlement reached to save the world from this Nightmarish atmosphere," he said in an interview.

"It is an unhappy mood in which we find the world today. We must get to grips with this problem and not think that war is the only way to terminate the present conflict."

Dr. Radhakrishnan, who came to Paris for a meeting of the Executive Board of UNESCO (United Nations Educational Scientific and Cultural Organisation) was leaving for London on his way back to Moscow.

Railway Loses 24 Lakhs Due To Class Changes

ALLAHABAD, Nov. 6 (PTI).—The experiment carried out by the Railway Ministry in eliminating the inter class and maintaining only first, second and third classes had cost the Indian exchequer Rs. 24 lakhs.

This was disclosed by Mr. K. Santhanam, Minister of State for Railways and Transport, while replying to queries by pressmen here today. He said he did not think that the money spent on the experiment was wasted.

The idea underlying the experiment, he explained, was to improve the old inter class to the reformed second class. A number of inter class compartments, he added, were improved during the experiment."

Cardinal Gilroy On The New Dogma

SYDNEY, Nov. 6 (PTI-Reuter).—Cardinal Norman Gilroy, Roman Catholic Archbishop of Sydney, said today that the proclamation of the Dogma of the bodily assumption of the Virgin Mary would not widen differences between the Roman Catholic and Protestant churches.

Cardinal Gilroy, who has just returned from the ceremonial proclamation in Rome, said, "it wouldn't make the slightest difference. It is purely a domestic matter.

New Envoy To Iran

NEW DELHI, Nov. 6 (PTI).—Mr. B K. Kapur, the Chief of Protocol, Government of India's External Affairs Ministry, has been appointed India's Charge d'Affaires in Iran and Iraq with the rank of a Minister, it was learnt.

Syed Ali Zahir, Indian Ambassador in Iran, is returning to India next month on leave.

IN A CHINA SHOP

By Taurus

J. B. Priestley in one of his books —I think it is "Midnight on the Desert — records his reactions to the sight of a number of geese cackling at the behest of a very prominent and restless goose which was obviously their leader. He says that it was saddening to think human beings were much the same.

I had a very curious confirmation of this the other night when a small party met round a dinner. It was a function arranged to give us all an opportunity of getting near a distinguished personality and asking him questions. I am always rather dumb on such occasions because questions seem either too silly to ask or else the answers can be ferreted out with a little diligence from books and public statements. But fortunately, there are others who are more sophisticated.

Well, there we were all gathered for a fireside chat, except that there was no fire. And then one bolder than the rest asked the guest of honour whether he had read "1984." This, I may say, is less innocuous than it looks. It is a conversational gambit offered by friends of the Anglo-Americans and it is generally successful in leading the talk to a general condemnation of Communist methods and of the police state.

The guest paused for just a split second, flicked the cigarette ash off lightly, and smilingly said "1985, you mean?" From all round the room rose a steady hum of approval. One or two who had read the book, even whispered loudly, "Yes, of course, 1985". Everyone looked pityingly at the poor ignoramus who had got the date wrong. In the discomfiture of the questioner, the question slid softly to the conversational floor and passed out of sight.

Afterwards, we collected in a post-mortem. It was "1984" and I was surprised to see so many people certain of it. We asked the man who first rolled the ball, why he had sat so silent under a misunderstanding. He explained feebly that he always knew he was bad at dates and anyway, with everyone grinning at him as though he were weak-headed, what could he do. My neighbour who is one of those brighter souls who are not only always in the right but even go to great pains to point out the little foibles of lesser men with friendish glee, was insistent that he had not been misled. Only I had heard him say out, "1985", in a perfect echo of the G of H. The rest of the evening was spent in excuses for silence and efforts to brush aside indiscreet confirmation of the wong title. It was a startling example of the triumph of a man who was in a minority of one.

Ajmer Hindi Daily To Reappear

(FROM A CORRESPONDENT)

AJMER, Nov. 6: It is learned that the Naya Rajasthan a Hindi Daily of this province will reappear under the editorship of Mr. Ramnaram Chaudhry, a prominent Gandhian leader of Rajputana from November 15, 1950.

Mysterious Body

LONDON, Nov. 6. (PTI-Reuter.): An object which could not be identified by speed, shape or lighting as an aircraft was yesterday reported over London airport travelling at a great rate.

Asked about the mysterious body which several people declared as a flying saucer" the Ministry of Civil Aviation pointed out that it was "Guy Faukes Day"—traditional occasion for letting off fire works. People who said they had seen it described the object as a white globe emitting a streak of blue flame which crossed the airfield and disappeared.

COMPANY MANAGEMENT FOR STATE-OWNED INDUSTRIES

Cabinet Economic Committee Approves System

NEW DELHI, November 6, (PTI).... THE Economic Committee of the Cabinet has approved in principle that the state-owned industries in India should be run on the system of company management, it was reliably learned here today.

The approval is subject to the ratification by the Central Cabinet.

Ordinarily the decision of the Economic Committee is final, but since the question involves an important principle, the matter is stated to have been referred to the Cabinet for approval.

When final approval is accorded to the scheme, it will affect for the present six important state-owned and state-controlled industries. They include the Hindustan Aircraft, the Sindhri Fertilizer, Factory, the Penicillin Factory and Machine Tool Factory, now under construction, the Cables Factory and the Pre-fab Factory in Delhi involving a capital of several crores of rupees.

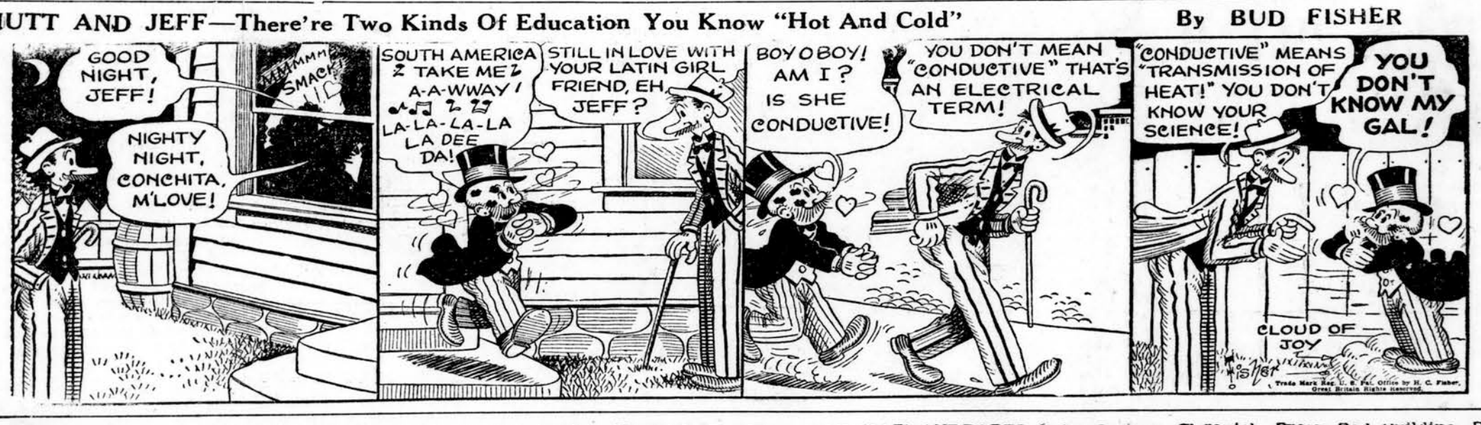
Details of the scheme are expected to be worked out after the Cabinet accords its aproval but it is stated that broadly it envisages the creation of a board of directors for each company whose chairman will be the employee of the Government of India.

GREATER EFFICIENCY

The initiative for the acceptance of the principle and the move itself are reported to have orginated from the Minister of Industry and Supply, Mr. Harekrushna Mahatab who is stated to have felt that it would be conducive to greater efficiency in running the factory, better discipline among the employees and expeditious decisions by management in regard to development.

It is also envisaged that in some cases private capital will also be invited but Government will continue to hold predominent share and control of all state-owned and partially-owned industries.

MUTT AND JEFF—There're Two Kinds Of Education You Know "Hot And Cold" By BUD FISHER


GOOD NIGHT, JEFF!
NIGHTY NIGHT, CONCHITA, M'LOVE!
SMACK!
SOUTH AMERICA TAKE ME A-A-WWAY!
LA-LA-LA-LA LA DEE DA!
STILL IN LOVE WITH YOUR LATIN GIRL FRIEND, EH JEFF?
BOY O BOY! AM I? IS SHE CONDUCTIVE!
YOU DON'T MEAN "CONDUCTIVE" THAT'S AN ELECTRICAL TERM!
"CONDUCTIVE" MEANS "TRANSMISSION OF HEAT!" YOU DON'T KNOW YOUR SCIENCE!
YOU DON'T KNOW MY GAL!
CLOUD OF JOY

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